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## FIRST EDITION

# 2 O'CLOCK

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### DEATHS.

George S. Austin, for a number of years superintendent for Davis & Sargent of Lowell of their drives of logs down the Merrimack river, died at Thornton, N. H., Tuesday, of pneumonia, aged 35 years. He was well known among lumber dealers. His home was in Webster.

Thomas Wood, aged 1 year and 11 months, child of Patrick and Mary Wood, died this morning at their home, 110 Rock street.

Ann Montgomery, aged 52 years, died last night at her home, 175 Lawrence street. The funeral will take place Saturday afternoon.

Patrick Shea, aged 61 years, died last night at his home, 7 Clarke street. The funeral will take place from St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts.

### PERSONAL.

Albert Pelletier has engaged in newspaper work again, on the staff of Le National.

Mr. C. A. Daoust is engaged in translating and editing French publications for C. I. Hood & Co.

Miss Lizzie Anderson has gone to Brookline to spend a few weeks.

Frank J. Brady of this city has returned from an extended tour in the west.

T. C. Entwistle of this city and Robert Ruddy of Worcester are making a trip through Florida.

**The Governor's Special Pen.**

Gov. Greenhalge will sign the bill to abolish Fast day with a magnificent pen prepared for the occasion, an enormous tail feather plucked from an American eagle. It was brought up to the state house by a citizen of Lexington, and is to be gold mounted and placed among the curiosities in the historical museum of the Lexington town hall, where it will be forever preserved as a reminder of the governor who made a law the measure establishing as a holiday throughout the Commonwealth the anniversary of the famous fight on the green hard by.

**Mounted Police Force.**

The idea of equipping the local police department with three mounted officers is not a new one and has been advanced on divers occasions, is stirring up Fall River. In the opinion of many citizens, it is worthy of serious consideration.

**St. Patrick's Day Services.**

The mass at St. Patrick's church next Saturday, St. Patrick's day, will commence at 10 o'clock a. m.

The city government and heads of the various departments will attend the services. Div. 8, A. O. H., St. Patrick's Cadets and St. Patrick's Cadet band will also occupy seats in the church upon the invitation of the pastor, Rev. Michael O'Brien.

Solemn high mass will be celebrated, and a grand musical program has been arranged. In the evening services will also be held. The panegyric will be delivered at the morning service.

**And It Still Grows.**

The Church league fund now amounts to $3073.90. Recent contributions were those of $8.50 from the First Baptist, $25 from Branch street church, and $4 additional from the Kirk street church.

**Attention Hibernians.**

The different branches of the Hibernians will attend services at St. Patrick's church Saturday morning. Members are requested to meet at their hall at 9 o'clock promptly.

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## NO LICENSE COMMISSION.

### LAWRENCE ALDERMEN FAIL TO PASS THE ORDINANCE.

**Meeting Was One of the Liveliest of the Year—What the Aldermen Said in Opposition to a Commission.**

LAWRENCE, March 15.—The board of mayor and aldermen held one of the liveliest meetings last night that had taken place for some time.

Mayor Rutter's proposed ordinance for the appointment of a liquor license commission was the subject discussed, and some racy remarks were made during this session.

One alderman openly said that he desired to take part in the granting of the licenses.

Alderman Dow desired to postpone action in the matter until the legislature had acted on the proposed license bills now pending.

The mayor stated that it was his impression that if the aldermen wanted a commission they would have to create it themselves.

He could not see any reason why the aldermen should await the action of the legislature.

At the last meeting the mayor had agreed to let the aldermen name one member of the commission, he another, and let these two men select the third.

However, he would not agree to nominate the first man whom the aldermen might choose.

At the meeting Alderman Bruckman thought that the mayor might refuse to nominate 25 men whom the aldermen should name.

Alderman Ellis objected to placing the power of nomination in one man's hands. Then the mayor recalled his previous statement and agreed to nominate the aldermen's first selection.

This concession did not have the desired effect.

Alderman Bruckman said that the republicans had a good working majority in the board of aldermen and if the commission was chosen he thought that this working majority would be surrendered.

"It looks to me," he continued, "as if this ordinance was only brought up because of this majority.

"If the board had been democratic it would not have been introduced."

"Then you propose to grant licenses on political lines?" queried his honor.

"Mr. Mayor," said the alderman, we are all elected on political lines, and whether we acknowledge it or not, we act on political lines. That has been evident from the first of January, even in the case of the chief magistrate. It is an old saying that rum and hypocrisy play a prominent part in politics."

Alderman Kittredge said he desired to grant the licenses, and already he had had "lots" of applicants to see him.

The mayor caustically inquired if he had promised any of them licenses.

The alderman said he had not.

The ordinance was finally laid on the table pending the action of the legislature.

### LOCAL NOTES.

A great reduction has been made in the price of carpets at the assignee sale of Manning & Leighton.

The Ladies Benevolent society of the Highland M. E. church held a social and supper in the church vestry last evening. A very enjoyable entertainment was given during the evening.

The John street Y. P. S. C. has elected these officers: President, Miss May Bancroft; vice president, Miss Mary Snow; secretary, Miss Elizabeth Blandin; treasurer, Miss Grace Fuller.

The Sunshine Social club held a social session last evening, at the residence of E. H. Winters, corner of Sargent and Clare streets. One new member was admitted and there were five applications.

In the vestry of St. Paul's church last evening a very pleasant concert was enjoyed by a large attendance. The arrangements for it were in charge of the flower committee of which Miss Annie Mosher is chairman.

At the Y. M. C. A. rooms last evening, the fourth of the series of practical talks was given by Rev. Willis D. Leland of the Pawtucket church. His subject was "The Glacial or Ice Period," and was very interesting.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Eliot church held a novel entertainment in the vestry last evening. Supper was served from 6 to 8 o'clock by the young ladies of the society. The next feature was the presentation of a seven scene dialogue entitled: "Out in the Streets" by the young people of the society. The entertainment will be repeated this evening.

Allan Frazer, the fancy goods dealer in the Odd Fellows' block on Middlesex street, has a large and most complete line of goods, at prices which cannot be undersold. His store is very handy to those living in the southerly and westerly part of the city, and you are sure of getting just what you want in small wares. He is running on stationary and envelopes today. Do not forget the store, in the Odd Fellows' block.

The regular monthly sociable of the Ladies' society of the Chelmsford street church was held in the vestry Wednesday evening and was largely attended. Supper was served early in the evening, Mrs. E. R. Clark having general supervision. Following this a number of vocal solos were finely rendered by Mrs. E. G. Russell, violin obligato by Mrs Harrington, and with Miss Minnie Lockhart, accompanist. The entertainment concluded with a lecture on Rip Van Winkles.

### FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral of Thomas Ferguson took place this morning from his late home, 31 Abbott street. The funeral cortege moved from the home to St. Peter's church, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. McManus. The church was crowded with friends and relatives of the deceased. The remains enclosed in a black broadcloth casket rested on a catafalque in the centre aisle of the church. Two large floral pillows, one inscribed "Husband," the other "Big 12," were placed on top of the casket. The choir under the direction of T. F. Molloy rendered Schimdt's requiem mass, and Miss Josephine Reardon presided at the organ. Miss Cook sang the "Pie Jesu," at the offertory. At the conclusion of the mass, Mr. T. F. Molloy effectively rendered "No Cross, No Crown." The funeral cortege which was a very large one, was then reformed and proceeded to the Catholic cemetery, where the interment took place. The bearers were Messrs. Hugh Mellen, Arthur Heald, John Neylon, Robert Crowley, D. Cahill and Elsie Herrick. The ushers at the house and church were Messrs. Patrick Cullen, Thomas Jones, Thomas Burns and Philip Callahan.

**First March "Roarer."**

Yesterday was the first really disagreeable day of the month, and the wind last night was of the keenness which makes the month so distressing to people of delicate health.

## ADVISES AN AGREEMENT.

**Words From the Navy Yard Relative to the Strike There.**

The following letter which will no doubt interest a great many, has been received by THE SUN from a gentleman who is interested in the labor difficulty at the Navy Yard.

Editor of THE SUN:

Dear Sir—It is not my intention of writing an essay on strikes; neither do I wish to say anything which may tend to injure or prejudice the cause of the people who are now contending with their employer at the Navy Yard mills, for what they consider and believe is justice and right. But as one who generally takes an interest in the cause of labor and somewhat personally interested in the outcome of the above strike, I could not desist from taking a survey of the situation in order to see whether there was sufficient justification for the course adopted by the Navy Yard help, and whether it is to the best interests of the people affected thereby.

Strikes are poor weapons to use at the best of times, in the warfare between capital and labor, and consequently should not be resorted to without strong and sufficient reasons. It is doubtful in the past they have been instrumental to any appreciable extent in the advancement of the cause of the wage-earner; this much we do know that whenever and whenever they have been tried they have caused great suffering and misery, not only to the strikers themselves, but to all those dependent upon them. "Strikes paralyze industries, and long after they are at an end, their evil effects remain." Too often the disastrous consequences of strikes are not considered as they should be by the leaders of labor, many of whom are inexperienced and irresponsible. The excitement of the moment in deciding to strike soon passes away, and the grim monster of being out of work with store bills running up and no pay to expect, begins to stare the poor worker in the face, and continues to haunt him by day and by night until he begins to think and to feel that life, such as that is, is not very much worth living, and that strikes after all are not so good as they are cracked up to be.

However, without arguing further on the merits or demerits of strikes, upon the question of justification or necessity of the Merrimack strike, would it not be better under the circumstances and conditions of the times to try and come to some honorable settlement with Mr. Fels to terminate as speedy as possible the present unfortunate state of affairs? Even if they did have to come down and accept the reduction would it not be best for the time being, when the clouds in the industrial horizon are so dark and depressing, and the business of the country in such a gloomy and discouraging state? We have seen it said "in the choice of evils, choose the least," "half a loaf is better than none," &c., are these not times that such philosophy could be acted upon to advantage?

The reductions of wages in the woolen industries are generally along the line; the Navy Yard is not the exception; even our Congressman Stevens is in the procession, the "largest woolen manufacturer in the world" and was supposed to know it all, still he has cut down the pay in order to make it possible to run. I do not wish to be looked upon as an advocate of the capitalist—as heaven knows they are not in need of my services—still every reasonable thinking person knows that in order to run a business successfully, capital expects some return, but whether it is at all times satisfied with that which is right I will not for a moment admit, for as a class they are grasping, avaricious, and soulless—caring but little for the rights and well being of those who are essential to the making of wealth. Nevertheless, there are times, such as the present, when it is politic and to the best interest of labor to submit to the demands, unreasonable as they may seem, until a more prosperous time and a more convenient season.

In one respect Mr. Bachman is to be commended; he is no respecter of persons, as we understand the reduction is a general one commencing at the top. Hoping that some means will be found to bring the trouble to an end so soon as possible as sooner is better than latter, is the wish of

Yours Respectfully

AN ONLOOKER,
Navy Yard.

### ORDER OF EGIS.

**Judge Allen Orders the Receiver to Make Payments of Claimants.**

Judge Allen yesterday in the Supreme court entered a decree on the third report of receiver Alfred Hemenway of the order of Egis, ordering a distribution of the assets to the certificate holders thereunto entitled.

On Feb. 1 last, the time of filing this report, the assets amounted to $210,510.13, of which $47,000 was composed of unpaid mortgages which are not yet due.

The amount of claims against the reserve fund, class 1, is $293,631, and the number of claimants 6293. The amount of claims proved against the relief fund of class 2 is $76890.06, and the number of claimants 1052.

In this last named class a final dividend of 26 per cent. is ordered, payable on and after April 16 next, and in class one a partial dividend of 50 per cent payable at the same time.

### HAIL GLORIOUS APOSTLE!

**How St. Patrick's Day Will be Celebrated in This City.**

The feast of St. Patrick will be observed Saturday at St. Patrick's church with appropriate ceremony.

Solemn high mass will be celebrated at 10.30 and the various societies connected with the church will march to the edifice in a body. The members of the city government will attend and they will be escorted to the hall by St. Patrick's Cadet band. The various Hibernian lodges will also attend.

On Saturday evening the Hibernians will have a banquet, at which Mr. Joseph Smith of this city will make the principal address.

The Alpine Social club will observe the day with a banquet and sociable in Runels' hall.

The Mathew Temperance institute will present the drama "Shamrock and Rose," in Huntington hall, Saturday evening.

On Saturday evening the Ladies' auxiliary of the Burke Temperance institute, will hold an apron and necktie party at the hall, and the members of the institute are co-operating in the arrangements as much as possible.

**State Convention of Foresters.**

There will be a state convention of Foresters in Lawrence, May 22, at which the Lowell courts will be represented. Delegates will be elected in the local courts as follows: Court Wamesit tonight, Courts Champlain and Butler on Tuesday next, City of Lowell next Wednesday, Court Gen. Shields next Thursday, Court Columbus, Friday, March 23; Court Middlesex, March 28; Court Merrimack, March 29.

**Dr. Weeks Sentenced.**

Dr. N. J. Weeks, who was held for the grand jury by Judge Hadley on Tuesday, for larceny, was sentenced to one year imprisonment for a similiar, or less grievous complaint, in the Jamaica Plains court yesterday.

## THE WOOLEN MILLS.

### WILL TAKE A BRACE WITH THE REVISED TARIFF.

**Already There is a Disposition to Increase the Production to Prepare for the Good Times, Which Are Surely Coming.**

The publication of the revised woolen schedule of the new tariff bill will create some enthusiasm among those manufacturers who have either shut down entirely or are operating just enough of their machinery to enable them to hold their place in the market. Some of these mills have orders for goods, and will start up unless it does not appear probable that there will be any subsequent demand to keep the machinery in operation after the small quantity of goods called for is turned off.

A representative of a large Massachusetts mill seen yesterday, on being told that the bill, as decided upon by the subcommittee of the finance committee, provided for a reduction of 5 per cent. on the ad valorem duties of woolen and worsted cloths, blankets, dress goods, etc., of the bill as it left the lower house, said, in effect that this circumstance would, without doubt, decide the officials of his mill, who have been discussing the advisability of turning out more goods, not to do so. Others talked in the same way, and while most of the manufacturers have been little disposed to make any more goods than were absolutely engaged, they feel even less willing to do so now, "that the manifest disposition of the senate committee is shown to be even more antagonistic to their industry than was the house."

Some mills have planned to start up next week on orders, hoping to receive duplicate orders enough to keep their machinery running, but they may be depended upon to stop very soon if these latter do not materialize. The exception to the rule in woolen manufacturing now is the satinet mills which are generally busy, not supplying a demand, however, but, like some of the cotton mills, piling up goods in immense quantities. How long this will continue remains to be seen, but conservative manufacturers who have refrained from accumulating a surplus express themselves satisfied now with the large bare condition of their warehouses as against the large surplus that is being carried by their neighbors.

### SEEN AND HEARD.

The following letter may be of interest to THE SUN readers: The Industrial Aid society of Boston is an organization which was instituted in 1837, and whose main object is the placing of men and women of Boston who are out of work, in positions which shall make them self supporting. This it does without charge to either employers or employed. It is making special effort at this time to place its applicants, which, owing to the great depression of business, are unusually numerous this season. They consist of men and women of all nationalities, and come from parts of this country and the world; among them are farmers, mechanics, skilled hands, laborers of all kinds, men for indoor work, porters, etc., etc., women for house work and laundry.

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Three popular young men of Ward Five were the victims of a practical joke a few evenings ago, according to rumor, and as a result are at present looking for some one with a gun. It appears that three young men who are quite "chummy" are rather sweet on three belles of the Highlands, three sisters, and each was uncertain as to how his affection was received. Some of their friends caught on to these little affairs, and the result was that a few days ago each of the three received a neat little note delicately perfumed purporting to come from the object of his affections stating that she would pass a certain corner of School and Broadway on the next evening at a certain time.

Each was in raptures over the note, of course, being totally ignorant of the fact that the other two had also received letters, and when the evening in question came around, the young men came also. The first to come was a trifle early, and as he waited under the gaslight, he was amazed to see one of his friends, the second to receive the note coming along. He got behind a fence, it is said, to avoid a meeting and an explanation, and in a short time was chagrined to note the arrival of still another friend, the two standing on the corner. The first young man finally joined his friends, and the three told each other of the letters, and waited, and waited. The young ladies knew nothing of the affair until the next day when some one informed them, and those three young men have blood in their eyes.

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Another good joke is told, at the expense of a party of ward one men who started out for Tewksbury yesterday afternoon. They were going hunting and anticipated a fine time. They boarded a train and were at No. Billerica before they discovered that their train did not go near Tewksbury. Then they got off and inquired what time the next train left for Lowell, and were told, "in an hour."

Said one, "I am not going to hang around here for an hour," so they started to walk the track to the city. They had gone some little distance when a small boy informed them that the electric cars had been running between No. Billerica and Lowell for the past year. Sure enough they had forgotten the fact, and retraced their steps to No. Billerica and arrived at the terminus of the route in time to see a car that had just left for the city. Another wait, they finally got a car and came home.

**About New York Schools.**

NEW YORK, March 14—During his visit up the Hudson, the Ablegate Satolli has inspected schools that are run on the Faribault plan. These are in Poughkeepsie and are under the jurisdiction of the board of education. The courts have decided that Catholic instruction in schools supported by public taxation is legal, though the arrangement does not meet the sanction of Archbishop Corrigan. The differences between the archbishop and the ablegate on this question are as striking as ever, but it is a mistake to suppose that the difference of opinion amounts to a personal antagonism. Archbishop Corrigan is said to have accompanied Satolli in a visit to the schools.

**Anniversary Observances.**

It is understood that there will be no elaborate celebration of St. John's day by the French people of the city this year. Many favored observing St. John's day and the 25th anniversary of the organization of St. Jean Baptiste society at the same time. Owing to the hard times, however, and the amount of money required for such an occasion, many of the French people favor postponing the celebration until the new St. Jean Baptiste church is completed and dedicated.

**Lowell People Were There.**

The National Lancers of Roxbury held a brilliant levee last night. Among the guests were Col. and Mrs. J. W. Bennett and Capt. E. H. Shaw. Mrs. Bennett wore a white satin gown, embroidered front, white chiffon and pearl trimmings. Gov. Greenhalge and staff were also there.

## BOWLERS ARE ACTIVE.

### JUNIOR MISERABLES PUSH THE SCORES UP NEAR 2500.

**Team Captains Hustling to Strengthen Their Teams in Order to Keep in the Race for the Reserved Positions in the List.**

Before the city tournament began, the Pastime club bowlers were around shaking a feather duster to indicate that they were out looking for blood. In friendly contests from time to time the club men had developed as remarkable bowlers, in fact as a rule the principal bowlers were much better than the average of bowlers on Les Miserables alleys.

But pride goeth before a fall apparently for both teams failed to come up to the required strength last night in their contests with other teams. But their scores were not to be sneezed at by any means, and for a starter they have every chance to fulfill their ante-tournament statements.

Team Tran smack against the junior Miserables team, and it was like running into a break water. As a matter of fact the Miserables proved surprisingly strong taking a good fall out of the score of the City Hall team of the night before. The team total of 2178 sets a pace, and a very fast one too. Then Pastimes were defeated by 221 pins. The scores of this game were as follows:

| MISERABLES NO. 2. | | PASTIMES NO. 1. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| J. D. Donohoe | 517 | O. Brown | 530 |
| D. Donohoe | 199 | Young | 453 |
| B. Farrell | 183 | Bond | 409 |
| W. Kelley | 180 | Wilson | 436 |
| G. Kelley | 499 | Campbell | 429 |
| Total | 2178 | Total | 2257 |

It will be noticed by the above score that Brown's was the highest with single strings of 185-172-173. The highest single string was 199 by D. Donohoe. The string totals of the Miserables were 819, 839, 820.

The second game was a close one, with lower scores. It was between the Underwriters and Pastimes No. 2, and the latter team got the highest string total 785, and Willett the highest single string 190, and highest total 539. The Underwriters score was much lower than they had expected. The totals were as follows:

| UNDERWRITERS. | | PASTIMES NO. 2. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| J. B. Swift | 492 | Leonard | 446 |
| Paulhut | 430 | Russell | 437 |
| Keyes | 442 | Hounsell | 412 |
| Keywin | 469 | Willett | 539 |
| Peabody | 456 | Reynolds | 446 |
| Total | 2289 | Total | 2270 |

The Bankers vs. Baker's, Police vs. Lowells, tonight. The four teams play their second game of the week.

The crowds around the players indicate the live interest in the tournament.

Leonard of the Pastimes is said to be a dark horse for a top position.

Already there is a great hustle to strengthen teams. All the bowlers of any reputation will be pulled into the contest.

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The St. Lawrence river below Quebec is free of ice.

Subscriptions to the Boston relief fund amount to $100,156.

Robbers secured $10,000 from the railroad station at Woodwark, O. T.

John T. Ford, manager of the theater where Lincoln was assassinated, is dead.

James R. Feeley, manufacturing jeweler of Providence, has made an assignment.

John Brecht, a farmer living near Ravenna, Neb., shot his wife fatally and then killed himself.

There are public bequests amounting to $93,000 contained in the will of the late Hon. Rufus S. Frost.

The Turkish authorities have convicted 11 Kurds who assaulted Miss Melton, an American missionary.

The Drawbaugh Telephone company declares that it is in the field to compete with the Bell company.

Charles Luther, colored, is missing from New Bedford, Mass., together with a bicycle and some clothing.

New Jersey Republicans have accepted the court's proposition for the proper presentation of the senatorial case.

The Lawrence (Mass.) board of aldermen laid on the table Mayor Rutter's proposition for a liquor commission pending action by the legislature.

Charles Jackman and John Frilley were arrested at Pittsfield, Mass., for stripping the Berkshire glass works of a large quantity of copper and lead.

British steamer Salamanca of Newcastle was sighted at anchor about five miles southeast of Point Judith, apparently making repairs to her machinery.

A call has been extended to Rev. W. H. Lewis, rector of the St. John's Episcopal church, Bridgeport, Conn., to become rector of the Church of the Ascension of New York.

**Will Fight It Out.**

PITTSBURG, March 15.—Notwithstanding the central board of education declared against persons teaching in public schools in the garb of a religious order, and the application for an injunction restraining the Riverside school board from employing such persons, the directors will retain the five nuns now teaching in that school until the question is finally settled by the courts.

**Objected to a Big Cut.**

MERIDEN, Conn., March 15.—Thirty laborers employed in building the new electric road here went on strike yesterday, because of a 25 cent reduction in their wages.

**Paddy Smith's Loving Wife.**

DENVER, March 15.—May Smith, the wife of Paddy Smith, pugilist, threw carbolic acid in her husband's face, badly burning him.

**Neal Dow's Birthday.**

BOSTON, March 15.—The Massachusetts Woman's Christian Temperance union proposes to celebrate the 90th anniversary of the birth of General Neal Dow by a series of interesting meetings in King's chapel. Many prominent temperance advocates from all over the state will participate in the proceedings.

**On the Quiet.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The senate committee on finance failed again to reach an agreement as to when the tariff bill should be reported to the senate. Objection was made to the publication of the proceedings of the committee and a resolution pledging the members to secrecy was adopted.

### OUR THEATRES.

MUSIC HALL—After four highly successful and well attended performances of "A Dark Secret," the management of this theatre announces a new drama for tonight and the remainder of the week including a matinee on St. Patrick's Day," "The Two Wanderers." It is a drama of vivid interest from start to finish. Tomorrow evening, patrons will receive a photograph of Mr. Thomas. Get your tickets early for the matinee.

## WAR ENDED

### The Insurgent Warships Have Been Deserted.

### GREAT RELIEF FELT IN THE UNITED STATES.

### The Struggle Was Costly to the Government.

RIO DE JANEIRO, March 15.—The insurgent forces, it now appears, deserted Fort Villegaignon and the ships on Monday night, leaving the flags flying, and took refuge on the islands of Enchadas and Parqueta. There was not a soul on board the rebel ships during the bombardment.

Several insurgent officers on Monday took refuge on merchant vessels.

Admiral da Gama left the harbor on board the French vessel Magon. The Magon returned here yesterday. It is not known whether the admiral is still on board.

The insurgents offered to surrender on Monday, but the government refused to promise that amnesty would be granted. Some 60 rebel privates gave themselves up. All the insurgent officers, with the exception of the surgeons, have fled.

By order of President Peixoto 500 rebel prisoners have been liberated from the jails. The rejoicing among the people that the war has proved a fizzle is general.

Salutes were fired at constant intervals yesterday. The streets are crowded and every one keeping a holiday.

Admiral de Mello has been seen in the streets of Montevideo. He has deserted his followers, as Admiral da Gama deserted his officers and men on the harbor fleet.

The insurgent sailors here will be pardoned. The officers will be court martialed.

**By Way of Washington.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Secretary Herbert received last evening the following cablegram from Admiral Benham regarding the surrender of the Brazilian insurgents:

Rio, March 14.

Yesterday at 3 p. m. city opened fire on insurgent force and vessels and was not returned. Insurgent forts, position and vessels have been abandoned. Insurgent admiral and followers have taken refuge on board the Portuguese man-of-war. Now the revolution is confined to the southern states.

BENHAM.

Minister Mendonca said that in the absence of official instructions he could give no expression of opinion on the future course which his government would pursue toward the surrendered revolutionists. He looked upon the surrender, however, as an emphatic termination of hostilities.

**Welcome News.**

The news of the surrender from Rio de Janeiro was very welcome to Secretary Gresham, and to Secretary Herbert particularly.

To the first it serves as a relief from the ever present apprehension lest something should occur that might involve the United States government in some ugly dispute with one of the combatants, or perhaps with some of the foreign powers that have so jealously watched the course so firmly and consistently pursued by this government.

To Secretary Herbert the surrender means the ability to relieve most of the American sailors, who have endured much hardship and exposure to yellow fever, from further service at Rio, and to utilize the ships now there for duty in other places, where they are much needed.

It also means a considerable saving to the navy department, for the maintenance of the large fleet at Rio has been very expensive. Stores and supplies there are always dear, and their cost has been enhanced by the war. Coal alone is a considerable item in the bill, the price at Rio being $11.50 a ton, and the consumption of the new vessels is very large.

**American Interests Are Safe.**

Minister Thompson and Admiral Benham have both acquitted themselves of their delicate and responsible duties to the perfect satisfaction of the president and their superior officers, Secretary Gresham saying that there was nothing for the United States to do now at Rio: we had acted with perfect fairness throughout, and there was no occasion now for interference, so long as American interests were safe.

Whether or not the French and British and Portuguese naval commanders have laid themselves liable to a charge of violation of neutrality in receiving the fugitive rebel officers aboard their ships is a matter in which the United States feels no concern, practically as we are blameless on that score. The naval officers here are well pleased that Da Gama should have escaped, believing that he is a man of sterling qualities and brave to a fault.

**Mello's Meanness.**

It is surmised that he will be landed at Montevideo or some other neutral port, and it is believed that he will have nothing more to do with the rebellion in Brazil. It is suspected by naval officers that Da Gama has been made a scapegoat by Mello, for it is now believed that when the latter sailed away from Rio with the Aquidaban and Republica he realized that the rebel cause at that place was absolutely hopeless. He depended upon his ability to run past the forts with two ships, but it was manifestly impossible for the other half disabled and unprotected insurgent ships to run this gauntlet.

It became a question of losing everything or escaping himself. He escaped, leaving Da Gama to share the lost fortunes of his men. Nobody knows what Mello will do now. He may join the insurgents at Desterro, or he may go to Uruguay or Argentine and surrender his ships. If he scuttles the vessels he is liable to punishment for barratry.

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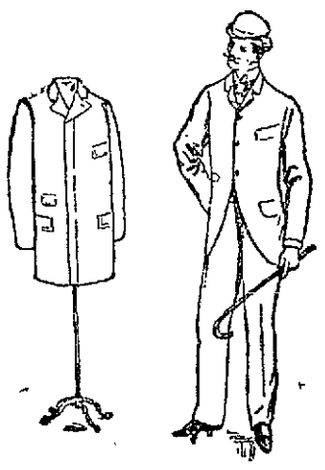

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### THE UNION PACIFIC'S PRESENT AND PAST DIRECTORS.

**Alleged Violation of Trust by Officials—The Heirs of Past Directors Involved in the Muddle.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—One of the most important propositions yet submitted to congress was presented to the house, when it assembled today, by Representative Boatner of Louisiana, a leading member of the committee on judiciary.

The proposition, as Representative Boatner has drafted, recites with explicit detail numerous defaults of the Union Pacific railroad and contiguous lines to meet the debt due the United States. It charges the present directors of the road, and those of past boards of directors, with a violation of their trust, an improper absorption of outside lines and the voting of dividends contrary to law and against the interests of the United States.

In conclusion directs, in the form of a joint resolution, that the president shall appoint special counsel to institute suit, against the present and past directors, their heirs and legal representatives, to collect $35,000,000 and interest due the United States. With interest the amount of litigation would exceed $40,000,000. It would be the largest lawsuit ever instituted in this country, if not the largest in any country.

**Recommends $100,000 for Counsel.**

By the terms of the resolution, the department of justice would be relieved from further action in the Union Pacific cases, and the suit would be prosecuted by special counsel as a special case. The joint resolution places $100,000 at the disposal of the president for the employment of counsel. It is provided that the counsel shall not be in any way connected in present or past service with the Union Pacific road or with any of the directors.

**On a Long Journey by Land.**

DENVER, March 15.—E. J. Johnston of Philadelphia will soon begin a trip of 15,000 miles on horseback in the interest of a newspaper syndicate. He will go through Mexico, and through the different states of South America.

**Brainard Won't Go.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Lieutenant Brainard has abandoned the idea of going with the wrecking party on the Orion to float the Kearsarge off Roncador reef, and his place will be taken by Lieutenant C. T. Forse.

**Swelling Our Population.**

NEW YORK, March 15.—The steamer Majestic from Liverpool brought 523 steerage passengers. This is the largest number brought to this port since the cholera scare.

**Santa Fe Comes Down.**

LAWRENCE, Kan., March 15.—All the Santa Fe taxes for 1893 due in Douglass county were paid yesterday, with the added penalty, under protest. This would indicate that the Santa Fe will not fight the tax payments any longer.

**Run Down by a Tug.**

NEW YORK, March 15.—Schooner Dick Williams was run into by tug Three Brothers, carrying away foremast, bowsprit, flying jibboom, figurehead and lost port anchor.


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## FIRST EDITION

# 2 O'CLOCK

**For later telegraphic and local news see Second Edition.**

### DEATHS.

George S. Austin, for a number of years superintendent for Davis & Sargeat of Lowell of their drives of logs down the Merrimack river, died at Thornton, N. H., Tuesday, of pneumonia, aged 35 years. He was well known among lumber dealers. His home was in Webster.

Thomas Wood, aged 1 year and 11 months, child of Patrick and Mary Wood, died this morning at their home, 110 Rock street.

Ann Montgomery, aged 52 years, died last night at her home, 475 Lawrence street. The funeral will take place Saturday afternoon.

Patrick Shea, aged 61 years, died last night at his home, 7 Clarke street. The funeral will take place from St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts.

### PERSONAL.

Albert Pelletier has engaged in newspaper work again, on the staff of Le National.

Mr. C. A. Draust is engaged in translating and editing French publications for C. I. Hood & Co.

Miss Lizzie Anderson has gone to Brookline to spend a few weeks.

Frank J. Brady of this city has returned from an extended tour in the west.

T. C. Entwistle of this city and Robert Ruddy of Worcester are making a trip through Florida.

**The Governor's Special Pen.**

Gov. Greenhalge will sign the bill to abolish Fast day with a magnificent pen prepared for the occasion, an enormous tail feather plucked from an American eagle. It was brought up to the state house by a citizen of Lexington, and is to be gold mounted and placed among the curiosities in the historical museum of the Lexington town hall, where it will be forever preserved as a reminder of the governor who made a law the measure establishing as a holiday throughout the Commonwealth the anniversary of the famous fight on the green hard by.

**Mounted Police Force.**

The idea of equipping the local police department with three mounted officers is not a new one and has been advanced on divers occasions, is stirring up Fall River. In the opinion of many citizens, it is worthy of serious consideration.

**St. Patrick's Day Services.**

The mass at St. Patrick's church next Saturday, St. Patrick's day, will commence at 10 o'clock a. m.

The city government and heads of the various departments will attend the services. Div. 8, A. O. H., St. Patrick's Cadets and St. Patrick's Cadet band will also occupy seats in the church upon the invitation of the pastor, Rev. Michael O'Brien.

Solemn high mass will be celebrated, and a grand musical program has been arranged. In the evening services will also be held. The panegyric will be delivered at the morning service.

**And It Still Grows.**

The Church league fund now amounts to $3078.90. Recent contributions were those of $8.50 from the First Baptist, $25 from Branch street church, and $4 additional from the Kirk street church.

**Attention Hibernians,**

The different branches of the Hibernians will attend services at St. Patrick's church Saturday morning. Members are requested to meet at their hall at 9 o'clock promptly.

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## NO LICENSE COMMISSION.

### LAWRENCE ALDERMEN FAIL TO PASS THE ORDINANCE.

**Meeting Was One of the Liveliest of the Year—What the Aldermen Said in Opposition to a Commission.**

LAWRENCE, March 15.—The board of mayor and aldermen held one of the liveliest meetings last night that had taken place for some time.

Mayor Rutter's proposed ordinance for the appointment of a liquor license commission was the subject discussed, and some racy remarks were made during this session.

One alderman openly said that he desired to take part in the granting of the licenses.

Alderman Dow desired to postpone action in the matter until the legislature had acted on the proposed license bills now pending.

The mayor stated that it was his impression that if the aldermen wanted a commission they would have to create it themselves.

He could not see any reason why the aldermen should await the action of the legislature.

At the last meeting the mayor had agreed to let the aldermen name one member of the commission, he another, and let these two men select the third.

However, he would not agree to nominate the first man whom the aldermen might choose.

At the meeting Alderman Bruckman thought that the mayor might refuse to nominate 25 men whom the aldermen should name.

Alderman Ellis objected to placing the power of nomination in one man's hands. Then the mayor recalled his previous statement and agreed to nominate the aldermen's first selection.

This concession did not have the desired effect.

Alderman Bruckman said that the republicans had a good working majority in the board of aldermen and if the commission was chosen he thought that this working majority would be surrendered.

"It looks to me," he continued, "as if this ordinance was only brought up because of this majority.

"If the board had been democratic it would not have been introduced."

"Then you propose to grant licenses on political lines?" queried his honor.

"Mr. Mayor," said the alderman, we are all elected on political lines, and whether we acknowledge it or not, we act on political lines. That has been evident from the first of January, even in the case of the chief magistrate. It is an old saying that rum and hypocrisy play a prominent part in politics."

Alderman Kittredge said he desired to grant the licenses, and already he had had "lots" of applicants to see him.

The mayor caustically inquired if he had promised any of them licenses.

The alderman said he had not.

The ordinance was finally laid on the table pending the action of the legislature.

### LOCAL NOTES.

A great reduction has been made in the price of carpets at the assignee sale of Manning & Leighton.

The Ladies Benevolent society of the Highland M. E. church held a social and supper in the church vestry last evening. A very enjoyable entertainment was given during the evening.

The John street Y. P. S. C. has elected these officers: President, Miss May Bancroft; vice president, Miss Mary Snow; secretary, Miss Elizabeth Blandin; treasurer, Miss Grace Fuller.

The Sunshine Social club held a social session last evening, at the residence of E. H. Winters, corner of Sargent and Clare streets. One new member was admitted and there were five applications.

In the vestry of St. Paul's church last evening a very pleasant concert was enjoyed by a large attendance. The arrangements for it were in charge of the flower committee of which Miss Annie Mosher is chairman.

At the Y. M. C. A. rooms last evening, the fourth of the series of practical talks was given by Rev. Willis D. Leland of the Pawtucket church. His subject was "The Glacial or Ice Period," and was very interesting.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Eliot church held a novel entertainment in the vestry last evening. Supper was served from 6 to 8 o'clock by the young ladies of the society. The next feature was the presentation of a seven scene dialogue entitled: "Out in the Streets" by the young people of the society. The entertainment will be repeated this evening.

Allan Frazer, the fancy goods dealer in the Odd Fellows' block on Middlesex street, has a large and most complete line of goods, at prices which cannot be undersold. His store is very handy to those living in the southerly and westerly part of the city, and you are sure of getting just what you want in small wares. He is running on stationary and envelopes today. Do not forget the store, in the Odd Fellows' block.

The regular monthly sociable of the Ladies' society of the Chelmsford street church was held in the vestry Wednesday evening and was largely attended. Supper was served early in the evening, Mrs. E. R. Clark having general supervision. Following this a number of vocal solos were finely rendered by Mrs. E. G. Russell, violin obligato by Mrs. Harrington, and with Miss Minnie Lockhart, accompanist. The entertainment concluded with a lecture on Rip Van Winkles.

### FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral of Thomas Ferguson took place this morning from his late home, 31 Abbott street. The funeral cortege moved from the home to St. Peter's church, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. McManus. The church was crowded with friends and relatives of the deceased. The remains enclosed in a black broadcloth casket rested on a catafalque in the centre aisle of the church. Two large floral pillows, one inscribed "Husband," the other "Big Ed," were placed on top of the casket. The choir under the direction of T. F. Molloy rendered Schimdt's requiem mass, and Miss Josephine Reardon presided at the organ. Miss Cook sang the "Pie Jesu," at the offertory. At the conclusion of the mass, Mr. T. F. Molloy effectively rendered "No Cross, No Crown." The funeral cortege which was a very large one, was then reformed and proceeded to the Catholic cemetery, where the interment took place. The bearers were Messrs. Hugh Mellen, Arthur Heald, John Neylon, Robert Crowley, D. Cahill and Elsie Herrick. The ushers at the house and church were Messrs. Patrick Cullen, Thomas Jones, Thomas Burns and Philip Callahan.

**First March "Roarer."**

Yesterday was the first really disagreeable day of the month, and the wind last night was of the keenness which makes the month so distressing to people of delicate health.

## ADVISES AN AGREEMENT.

**Words From the Navy Yard Relative to the Strike There.**

The following letter which will no doubt interest a great many, has been received by THE SUN from a gentleman who is interested in the labor difficulty at the Navy Yard.

Editor of THE SUN:

Dear Sir—It is not my intention of writing an essay on strikes; neither do I wish to say anything which may tend to injure or prejudice the cause of the people who are now contending with their employer at the Navy Yard mills, for what they consider and believe is justice and right. But as one who generally takes an interest in the cause of labor and somewhat personally interested in the outcome of the above strike, I could not desist from taking a survey of the situation in order to see whether there was sufficient justification for the course adopted by the Navy Yard help, and whether it is to the best interests of the people affected thereby.

Strikes are poor weapons to use at the best of times, in the warfare between capital and labor, and consequently should not be resorted to without strong and sufficient reasons. It is done so at in the past they have been instrumental to any appreciable extent in the advancement of the cause of the wage-earner: this much we do know that wherever and whenever they have been tried they have caused great suffering and misery, not only to the strikers themselves, but to all those dependent upon them. "Strikes paralyze industries, and long after they are at an end, their evil effects remain." Too often the disastrous consequences of strikes are not considered as they should be by the leaders of labor, many of whom are inexperienced and irresponsible. The excitement of the moment in deciding to strike soon passes away, and the grim monster of being out of work with store bills running up and no pay to expect, begins to stare the poor worker in the face, and continues to haunt him by day and by night until he begins to think and to feel that life, such as that is, is not very much worth living, and that strikes after all are not so good as they are cracked up to be.

However, without arguing further on the merits or demerits of strikes, upon the question of justification or necessity of the Merrimack strike, would it not be better under the circumstances and conditions of the times to try and come to some honorable settlement with Mr. Fels to terminate as speedy as possible the present unfortunate state of affairs? Even if they did have to come down and accept the reduction would it not be best for the time being, when the clouds in the industrial horizon are so dark and depressing, and the business of the country in such a gloomy and discouraging state? We have seen it said "in the choice of evils, choose the least," "half a loaf is better than none," &c., are these not times that such philosophy could be acted upon to advantage?

The reductions of wages in the woolen industries are generally along the line; the Navy Yard is not the exception; even our Congressman Stevens is in the procession, the "largest woolen manufacturer in the world" and was supposed to know it all, still he has cut down the pay in order to make it possible to run. I do not wish to be looked upon as an advocate of the capitalist—as heaven knows they are not in need of my services—still every reasonable thinking person knows that in order to run a business successfully, capital expects some return, but whether it is at all times satisfied with that, which is right I will not for a moment admit, for as a class they are grasping, avaricious, and soulless—caring but little for the rights and well being of those who are essential to the making of wealth. Nevertheless, there are times, such as the present, when it is politic and to the best interest of labor to submit to the demands, unreasonable as they may seem, until a more prosperous time and a more convenient season.

In one respect Mr. Bachman is to be commended; he is no respecter of persons, as we understand the reduction is a general one commencing at the top. Hoping that some means will be found to bring the trouble to an end as soon as possible as sooner is better than latter, is the wish of

Yours Respectfully

AN ONLOOKER,
Navy Yard.

### ORDER OF EGIS.

**Judge Allen Orders the Receiver to Make Payments of Claimants.**

Judge Allen yesterday in the Supreme court entered a decree on the third report of receiver Alfred Hemenway of the order of Egis, ordering a distribution of the assets to the certificate holders thereunto entitled.

On Feb. 1 last, the time of filing this report, the assets amounted to $219,510.13, of which $47,000 was composed of unpaid mortgages which are not yet due.

The amount of claims against the reserve fund, class 1, is $203,631, and the number of claimants 6293. The amount of claims proved against the relief fund of class 2 is $70810.06, and the number of claimants 1052.

In this last named class a final dividend of 20 per cent. is ordered, payable on and after April 16 next, and in class one a partial dividend of 50 per cent payable at the same time.

### HAIL GLORIOUS APOSTLE!

**How St. Patrick's Day Will Be Celebrated in This City.**

The feast of St. Patrick will be observed Saturday at St. Patrick's church with appropriate ceremony.

Solemn high mass will be celebrated at 10.30 and the various societies connected with the church will march to the edifice in a body. The members of the city government will attend and they will be escorted to the hall by St. Patrick's Cadet band. The various Hibernian lodges will also attend.

On Saturday evening the Hibernians will have a banquet, at which Mr. Joseph Smith of this city will make the principal address.

The Alpine Social club will observe the day with a banquet and sociable in Runels' hall.

The Mathew Temperance institute will present the drama "Shamrock and Rose," in Huntington hall, Saturday evening.

On Saturday evening the Ladies' auxiliary of the Burke Temperance institute, will hold an apron and necktie party at the hall, and the members of the institute are co-operating in the arrangements as much as possible.

**State Convention of Foresters.**

There will be a state convention of Foresters in Lawrence, May 22, at which the Lowell courts will be represented. Delegates will be elected in the local courts as follows: Court Wamesit tonight, Courts Champlain and Butler on Tuesday next, City of Lowell next Wednesday, Court Glen Shields next Thursday, Court Columbus, Friday, March 23; Court Middlesex, March 28; Court Merrimack, March 29.

**Dr. Weeks Sentenced.**

Dr. N. J. Weeks, who was held for the grand jury by Judge Hadley on Tuesday, for larceny, was sentenced to one year imprisonment for a similar, or less grievous complaint, in the Jamaica Plains court yesterday.

## THE WOOLEN MILLS.

### WILL TAKE A BRACE WITH THE REVISED TARIFF.

**Already There is a Disposition to Increase the Production to Prepare for the Good Times, Which Are Surely Coming.**

The publication of the revised woolen schedule of the new tariff bill will create some enthusiasm among those manufacturers who have either shut down entirely or are operating just enough of their machinery to enable them to hold their place in the market. Some of these mills have orders for goods, and will start up unless it does not appear probable that there will be any subsequent demand to keep the machinery in operation after the small quantity of goods called for is turned off.

A representative of a large Massachusetts mill seen yesterday, on being told that the bill, as decided upon by the subcommittee of the finance committee, provided for a reduction of 5 per cent. on the ad valorem duties of woolen and worsted cloths, blankets, dress goods, etc., of the bill as it left the lower house, said, in effect that this circumstance would, without doubt, decide the officials of his mill, who have been discussing the advisability of turning out more goods, not to do so. Others talked in the same way, and while most of the manufacturers have been little disposed to make any more goods than were absolutely engaged, they feel even less willing to do so now, "that the manifest disposition of the senate committee is shown to be even more antagonistic to their industry than was the house."

Some mills have planned to start up next week on orders, hoping to receive duplicate orders enough to keep their machinery running, but they may be depended upon to stop very soon if these latter do not materialize. The exception to the rule in woolen manufacturing now is the satinet mills which are generally busy, not supplying a demand, however, but, like some of the cotton mills, piling up goods in immense quantities. How long this will continue remains to be seen, but conservative manufacturers who have refrained from accumulating a surplus express themselves satisfied now with the large bare condition of their warehouses as against the large surplus that is being carried by their neighbors.

### SEEN AND HEARD.

The following letter may be of interest to THE SUN readers: The Industrial Aid society of Boston is an organization which was instituted in 1877, and whose main object is the placing of men and women of Boston who are out of work, in positions which shall make them self supporting. This it does without charge to either employers or employed. It is making special effort at this time to place its applicants, which, owing to the great depression of business, are unusually numerous this season. They consist of men and women of all nationalities, and come from parts of this country and the world; among them are farmers, mechanics, [illegible] hands, laborers of all kind, men for indoor work, porters, etc., etc., women for house work and laundry.

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Three popular young men of Ward Five were the victims of a practical joke a few evenings ago, according to rumor, and as a result are at present looking for some one with a gun. It appears that three young men who are quite "chummy" are rather sweet on three belles of the Highlands, three sisters, and each was uncertain as to how his affection was received. Some of their friends caught on to these little affairs, and the result was that a few days ago each of the three received a neat little note delicately perfumed purporting to come from the object of his affections stating that she would pass a certain corner of School and Broadway on the next evening at a certain time.

Each was in raptures over the note, of course, being totally ignorant of the fact that the other two had also received letters and when the evening in question came around, the young men came also. The first to come was a trifle early, and as he waited under the gaslight, he was amazed to see one of his friends, the second to receive the note coming along. He got behind a fence, it is said, to avoid a meeting and an explanation, and in a short time was chagrined to note the arrival of still another friend, the two standing on the corner. The first young man finally joined his friends, and the three told each other of the letters, and waited, and waited. The young ladies knew nothing of the affair until the next day when some one informed them, and these three young men have blood in their eyes.

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Another good joke is told, at the expense of a party of ward one men who started out for Tewksbury yesterday afternoon. They were going hunting and anticipated a fine time. They boarded a train and were at No. Billerica before they discovered that their train did not go near Tewksbury. Then they got off and inquired what time the next train left for Lowell, and were told, "in an hour." Said one, "I am not going to hang around here for an hour," so they started to walk the track to the city. They had gone some little distance when a small boy informed them that the electric cars had been running between No. Billerica and Lowell for the past year. Sure enough they had forgotten the fact, and retraced their steps to No. Billerica and arrived at the terminus of the route in time to see a car that had just left for the city. Another wait, they finally got a car and came home.

**About New York Schools.**

NEW YORK, March 14—During his visit up the Hudson, the Ablegato Satolli has inspected schools that are run on the Faribault plan. These are in Poughkeepsie and are under the jurisdiction of the board of education. The courts have decided that Catholic instruction in schools supported by public taxation is legal, though the arrangement does not meet the sanction of Archbishop Corrigan. The differences between the archbishop and the ablegate on this question are as striking as ever, but it is a mistake to suppose that the difference of opinion amounts to a personal antagonism. Archbishop Corrigan is said to have accompanied Satolli in a visit to the schools.

**Anniversary Observances.**

It is understood that there will be no elaborate celebration of St. John's day by the French people of the city this year. Many favored observing St. John's day and the 25th anniversary of the organization of St. Jean Baptiste society at the same time. Owing to the hard times, however, and the amount of money required for such an occasion, many of the French people favor postponing the celebration until the new St. Jean Baptiste church is completed and dedicated.

**Lowell People Were There.**

The National Lancers of Roxbury held a brilliant levee last night. Among the guests were Col. and Mrs. J. W. Bennett and Capt. E. H. Shaw. Mrs. Bennett wore a white satin gown, embroidered front, white chiffon and pearl trimmings. Gov. Greenhalge and staff were also there.

## BOWLERS ARE ACTIVE.

### JUNIOR MISERABLES PUSH THE SCORES UP NEAR 2500.

**Team Captains Hustling to Strengthen Their Teams in Order to Keep in the Race for the Reserved Positions in the List.**

Before the city tournament began, the Pastime club bowlers were around shaking a feather duster to indicate that they were out looking for blood. In friendly contests from time to time the club men had developed as remarkable bowlers, in fact as a rule the principal bowlers were much better than the average of bowlers on Les Miserables alleys.

But pride goeth before a fall apparently for both teams failed to come up to the required strength last night in their contests with other teams. But their scores were not to be sneezed at by any means, and for a starter they have every chance to fulfill their ante-tournament statements.

Team 1 ran smack against the junior Miserables team, and it was like running into a break water. As a matter of fact, the Miserables proved surprisingly strong taking a good full out of the score of the City Hall team of the night before. The team total of 2478 sets a pace, and a very fast one too. Then Pastimes were defeated by 221 pins. The scores of this game were as follows:

| MISERABLES NO. 2. | | PASTIMES NO. 1. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| J. D. Donohue | 517 | O. Brown | 530 |
| D. Donohue | 400 | Young | 453 |
| R. Farrell | 483 | Bond | 409 |
| W. Kelley | 486 | Wilson | 436 |
| G. Kelley | 590 | Campbell | 429 |
| Total | 2478 | Total | 2257 |

It will be noticed by the above score that Brown's was the highest with single strings of 185-172-173. The highest single string was 193 by D. Donohue. The string totals of the Miserables were 849, 830, 820.

The second game was a close one, with lower scores. It was between the Underwriters and Pastimes No. 2, and the latter team got the highest string total 785, and Willett the highest single string 199, and highest total 539. The Underwriters score was much lower than they had expected. The totals were as follows:

| UNDERWRITERS. | | PASTIMES NO. 2. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| J. H. Swift | 492 | Leonard | 446 |
| Poulin | 430 | Russell | 437 |
| Keyes | 442 | Donnell | 412 |
| Kerwin | 469 | Willett | 539 |
| Peabody | 456 | Reynolds | 436 |
| Total | 2289 | Total | 2270 |

The Bankers vs. Baker's, Police vs. Lowells, tonight. The four teams play their second game of the week.

The crowds around the players indicate the live interest in the tournament.

Leonard of the Pastimes is said to be a dark horse for a top position.

Already there is a great hustle to strengthen teams. All the bowlers of any reputation will be pulled into the contest.

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The St. Lawrence river below Quebec is free of ice.

Subscriptions to the Boston relief fund amount to $100,156.

Robbers secured $10,000 from the railroad station at Woodwark, O. T.

John T. Ford, manager of the theater where Lincoln was assassinated, is dead.

James R. Feeley, manufacturing jeweler of Providence, has made an assignment.

John Brecht, a farmer living near Ravenna, Neb., shot his wife fatally and then killed himself.

There are public bequests amounting to $33,000 contained in the will of the late Hon. Rufus S. Frost.

The Turkish authorities have convicted 11 Kurds who assaulted Miss Melton, an American missionary.

The Drawbaugh Telephone company declares that it is in the field to compete with the Bell company.

Charles Luther, colored, is missing from New Bedford, Mass., together with a bicycle and some clothing.

New Jersey Republicans have accepted the court's proposition for the proper presentation of the senatorial case.

The Lawrence (Mass.) board of aldermen laid on the table Mayor Rutter's proposition for a liquor commission pending action by the legislature.

Charles Jackman and John Frilley were arrested at Pittsfield, Mass., for stripping the Berkshire glass works of a large quantity of copper and lead.

British steamer Salamanca of Newcastle was sighted at anchor about five miles southeast of Point Judith, apparently making repairs to her machinery.

A call has been extended to Rev. W. H. Lewis, rector of the St. John's Episcopal church, Bridgeport, Conn., to become rector of the Church of the Ascension of New York.

**Will Fight It Out.**

PITTSBURG, March 15.—Notwithstanding the central board of education declared against persons teaching in public schools in the garb of a religious order, and the application for an injunction restraining the Riverside school board from employing such persons, the directors will retain the five nuns now teaching in that school until the question is finally settled by the courts.

**Objected to a Big Cut.**

MERIDEN, Conn., March 15. — Thirty laborers employed in building the new electric road here went on strike yesterday, because of a 25 cent reduction in their wages.

**Paddy Smith's Loving Wife.**

DENVER, March 15.—May Smith, the wife of Paddy Smith, pugilist, threw carbolic acid in her husband's face, badly burning him.

**Neal Dow's Birthday.**

BOSTON, March 15.—The Massachusetts Woman's Christian Temperance union proposes to celebrate the 90th anniversary of the birth of General Neal Dow by a series of interesting meetings in King's chapel. Many prominent temperance advocates from all over the state will participate in the proceedings.

**On the Quiet.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The senate committee on finance failed again to reach an agreement as to when the tariff bill should be reported to the senate. Objection was made to the publication of the proceedings of the committee and a resolution pledging the members to secrecy was adopted.

### OUR THEATRES.

MUSIC HALL.—After four highly successful and well attended performances of "A Dark Secret," the management of this theatre announces a new drama for tonight and the remainder of the week including a matinee on St. Patrick's Day," "The Two Wanderers." It is a drama of vivid interest from start to finish. Tomorrow evening, patrons will receive a photograph of Mr. Thomas. Get your tickets early for the matinee.

## WAR ENDED

### The Insurgent Warships Have Been Deserted.

**GREAT RELIEF FELT IN THE UNITED STATES.**

### The Struggle Was Costly to the Government.

RIO DE JANEIRO, March 15.—The insurgent forces, it now appears, deserted Fort Villegaignon and the ships on Monday night, leaving the flags flying, and took refuge on the islands of Enchadas and Paquota. There was not a soul on board the rebel ships during the bombardment.

Several insurgent officers on Monday took refuge on merchant vessels.

Admiral da Gama left the harbor on board the French vessel Magon. The Magon returned here yesterday. It is not known whether the admiral is still on board.

The insurgents offered to surrender on Monday, but the government refused to promise that amnesty would be granted. Some 60 rebel privates gave themselves up. All the insurgent officers, with the exception of the surgeons, have fled.

By order of President Peixoto 500 rebel prisoners have been liberated from the jails. The rejoicing among the people that the war has proved a fizzle is general.

Salutes were fired at constant intervals yesterday. The streets are crowded and every one keeping a holiday.

Admiral de Mello has been seen in the streets of Montevideo. He has deserted his followers, as Admiral da Gama deserted his officers and men on the harbor fleet.

The insurgent sailors here will be pardoned. The officers will be court-martialed.

**By Way of Washington.**

WASHINGTON, March 15. — Secretary Herbert received last evening the following cablegram from Admiral Benham regarding the surrender of the Brazilian insurgents:

RIO, March 14.

Yesterday at 8 p. m. city opened fire on insurgent force and vessels and was not returned. Insurgent forts, position and vessels have been abandoned. Insurgent admiral and followers have taken refuge on board the Portuguese man-of-war. Now the revolution is confined to the southern states.

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Minister Mendonca said that in the absence of official instructions he could give no expression of opinion on the future course which his government would pursue toward the surrendered revolutionists. He looked upon the surrender, however, as an emphatic termination of hostilities.

**Welcome News.**

The news of the surrender from Rio de Janeiro was very welcome to Secretary Gresham, and to Secretary Herbert particularly.

To the first it serves as a relief from the ever present apprehension lest something should occur that might involve the United States government in some ugly dispute with one of the combatants, or perhaps with some of the foreign powers that have so jealously watched the course so firmly and consistently pursued by this government.

To Secretary Herbert the surrender means the ability to relieve most of the American sailors, who have endured much hardship and exposure to yellow fever, from further service at Rio, and to utilize the ships now there for duty in other places, where they are much needed.

It also means a considerable saving to the navy department, for the maintenance of the large fleet at Rio has been very expensive. Stores and supplies there are always dear, and their cost has been enhanced by the war. Coal alone is a considerable item in the bill, the price at Rio being $11.50 a ton, and the consumption of the new vessels is very large.

**American Interests Are Safe.**

Minister Thompson and Admiral Benham have both acquitted themselves of their delicate and responsible duties to the perfect satisfaction of the president and their superior officers, Secretary Gresham saying that there was nothing for the United States to do now at Rio; we had acted with perfect fairness throughout, and there was no occasion now for interference, so long as American interests were safe.

Whether or not the French and British and Portuguese naval commanders have laid themselves liable to a charge of violation of neutrality in receiving the fugitive rebel officers aboard their ships is a matter in which the United States feels no concern, practically as we are blameless on that score. The naval officers here are well pleased that Da Gama should have escaped, believing that he is a man of sterling qualities and brave to a fault.

**Mello's Meanness.**

It is surmised that he will be landed at Montevideo or some other neutral port, and it is believed that he will have nothing more to do with the rebellion in Brazil. It is suspected by naval officers that Da Gama has been made a scapegoat by Mello, for it is now believed that when the latter sailed away from Rio with the Aquidaban and Republica he realized that the rebel cause at that place was absolutely hopeless. He depended upon his ability to run past the forts with two ships, but it was manifestly impossible for the other half disabled and unprotected insurgent ships to run this gauntlet.

It became a question of losing everything or escaping himself. He escaped, leaving Da Gama to share the lost fortunes of his men. Nobody knows what Mello will do now. He may join the insurgents at Desterro, or he may go to Uruguay or Argentine and surrender his ships. If he scuttles the vessels he is liable to punishment for barratry.

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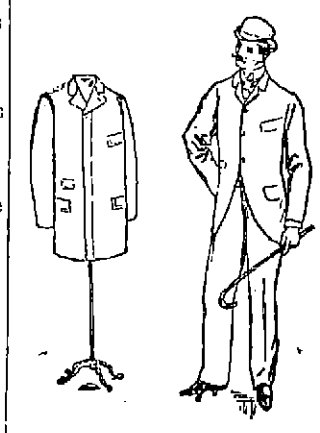

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**Alleged Violation of Trust by Officials—The Heirs of Past Directors Involved in the Muddle.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—One of the most important propositions yet submitted to congress was presented to the house, when it assembled today, by Representative Boatner of Louisiana, a leading member of the committee on judiciary.

The proposition, as Representative Boatner has drafted, recites with explicit detail numerous defaults of the Union Pacific Railroad and contiguous lines to meet the debt due the United States. It charges the present directors of the road, and those of past boards of directors, with a violation of their trust, an improper absorption of outside lines and the voting of dividends contrary to law and against the interests of the United States.

In conclusion directs, in the form of a joint resolution, that the president shall appoint special counsel to institute suit against the present and past directors, their heirs and legal representatives, to collect $33,000,000 and interest due the United States. With interest the amount of litigation would exceed $40,000,000. It would be the largest lawsuit ever instituted in this country, if not the largest in any country.

**Recommends $100,000 for Counsel.**

By the terms of the resolution, the department of justice would be relieved from further action in the Union Pacific cases, and the suit would be prosecuted by special counsel as a special case. The joint resolution places $100,000 at the disposal of the president for the employment of counsel. It is provided that the counsel shall not be in any way connected in present or past service with the Union Pacific road or with any of the directors.

**On a Long Journey by Land.**

DENVER, March 15.—E. J. Johnston of Philadelphia will soon begin a trip of 15,000 miles on horseback in the interest of a newspaper syndicate. He will go through Mexico, and through the different states of South America.

**Brainard Won't Go.**

WASHINGTON, March 15. — Lieutenant Brainard has abandoned the idea of going with the wrecking party on the Orion to float the Kearsarge off Roncador reef, and his place will be taken by Lieutenant C. T. Forse.

**Swelling Our Population.**

NEW YORK, March 15.—The steamer Majestic from Liverpool brought 528 steerage passengers. This is the largest number brought to this port since the cholera scare.

**Santa Fe Comes Down.**

LAWRENCE, Kan., March 15.—All the Santa Fe taxes for 1893 due in Douglass county were paid yesterday, with the added penalty, under protest. This would indicate that the Santa Fe will not fight the tax payments any longer.

**Run Down by a Tug.**

NEW YORK, March 15.—Schooner Dick Williams was run into by tug Three Brothers, carrying away foremast, bowsprit, flying jibboom, figurehead and lost port anchor.


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IT LOOKS now as if President Cleveland would acquiesce in the policy of his party in regard to the Bland bill and sign that measure.

LOWELL LEGISLATORS are working hard to bring the normal school to Lowell. They have the strongest arguments and should gain the victory.

AN EFFORT will be made by the legislative committee on education to make manual training compulsory in the schools of Massachusetts cities.

THE 25,000 visitors to the Midway Plaisance who kissed a counterfeit Blarney stone will realize now that they are the victims of genuine Irish Blarney.

THE CAUCUSES for the election of a new democratic city committee will soon be held. These caucuses are more important than is generally supposed and they should be well attended by democratic voters throughout the city.

THAT WAS an eloquent tribute to the late Chief Howard delivered by Councilman Curtin at the meeting of the common council on Tuesday night. It was appreciative and expressive of the sorrow felt at the demise of the esteemed head of the police department.

THE BOSTON school committee is at present all one sided. It is overwhelmingly republican while the city is solidly democratic. The democrats ask for a law providing for minority representation. The committee of one hundred will hardly be willing to grant this slight privilege.

SOME OF the Boston papers of late gave up their front pages to patent medicine advertisements. That is something THE SUN has never done no matter what inducement was offered. Charles A. Dana of the New York Sun says $1,000,000 would not buy the front page of his paper for a single day.

THE HAVERHILL GAZETTE gives this piece of good advice to Boston laborers with a grievance:

"Labor should insist upon the construction of a system of underground rapid transit and the opening of new thoroughfares in such localities as are pestilence breeding. The legislature can assist by ordering these necessary and loudly called-for public improvements."

THE PENALTY of high rating by insurance companies for buildings in which there is not the proper protection against fire, will eventually bring about an improvement in the building laws. Such discussions as that held at the Board of Trade meeting on Tuesday evening should be headed by those in whose hands rests the duty of improving the building laws.

BUSINESS IS not improving as much as might be expected with the advance of the season, but yet there are signs of improvement which are to a certain extent indicative of better times. The suspense regarding the decision of the tariff question is still the great barrier to the revival of business. Once that is settled, no matter how, business will start up again.

THE FINAL arguments on the senate substitute bill will be the most exciting. Senators Hill and Brice with all the followers they can influence will oppose the income tax feature on the democratic side; while Senators Lodge and Aldrich will lead the republican opposition. It is not unlikely that the substitute for the Wilson bill will undergo still greater modifications before it leaves the senate.

OUR ESTEEMED neighbor the Courier is mistaken in its opinion that Labouchere is not an influential member of parliament and that "Home rule bids fair to languish" while "it does not look like interesting times in British politics." The vote to abolish the house of lords which was carried in the house of commons on motion of Mr. Labouchere, indicates that he has considerable influence in parliament and that there will be very lively times ahead in British politics. The motion was adopted as an amendment to the Queen's speech and will have no effect further than to frighten the lords as an expression of popular sentiment. It places the new premier in a very embarrassing position at the outstart in his administration.

### REPUBLICAN CITY COMMITTEE.

The republican city committee has adopted a set of iron clad rules for enforcing party discipline. The penalties embrace expulsions, ejections, evictions, exclusions, revocations, denunciations, reprimands, ostracisms, relegations, flagellations, cancellations, execrations, maledictions, ebullitions, effervescence (under the collar) and an array of other penalties stopping little short of lynching. The method of counting a quorum is far more original than that of Czar Reed. All the members present fifteen minutes after the meeting is called shall constitute a quorum. It may be that a single member may constitute a quorum and be under the necessity of presiding, acting as secretary, making motions, discussing them, putting the question to a vote and declaring them carried or defeated. Verily the city committee means business and is determined that republicans shall stand by republicans. The democratic city committee may find it necessary to do likewise but that is not a democratic method of counting a quorum.

IT APPEARS the license limit will not be removed this year. It may be changed so that there may be one license for 500 instead of for 1000.

### CURRENT CLIPPINGS.

**Making an Enemy of Him.**

Witherby—Well, I've just had my life insured.

Von Blumer—Let me congratulate you. That's one of the best things you ever did.

Witherby (complacently)—I thought so.

Von Blumer—Yes. I consider it a most important duty for any man to fulfill. He owes it to his wife and family.

Witherby—That's right. You haven't your life insured, have you?

Von Blumer—I am ashamed to say I haven't. You know how it is yourself. I have been putting it off until actually, old man, I can't bear to look at myself in the face.

Witherby—I can appreciate how you feel. But it isn't too late for you yet, old man.

Von Blumer—No, I suppose not. I guess I'll have to attend to it.

Witherby—I'll save you that trouble, old fellow.

Von Bloomer—What do you mean?

Witherby—Why, this morning I took the liberty of giving your name and address to the agent.

Von Blumer (aghast)—What!

Witherby—Yes, and you'll hear from him very soon.

Von Blumer—I will, will I? Look here, sir, you call yourself a friend of mine?

Witherby—Why, certainly.

Von Blumer—Well, sir, henceforth we are enemies. If you ever dare to recognize me again, I'll call you out. (Moves rapidly off.)—Truth.

**A Reminder.**

"Small towns have their compensations, after all," said an actor yesterday. "I've just been staying up in a town that boasts of four churches and stands badly in need of them all. Three of the ministers have been roasting their congregations every Sunday for the last two months, and consequently they have drawn crowded houses. Last week one of the churchwardens of the other church took the minister aside and hinted to him that his sermons were too conservative.

"'We're getting behind the times,' he exclaimed. 'You must stir us up a bit.'

"Last Sunday morning the minister opened up. A gatling gun couldn't have gone home to the congregation more effectually. Everybody in the town got trimmed, and by way of a climax the minister attacked one of the town's most questionable resorts. As the name of this place fell from the minister's lips one of the churchwardens snapped his fingers and exclaimed half audibly:

"'So it was; so it was!'

"On the way out of church a man accosted the churchwarden.

"'How's that for a sermon?' exclaimed the man.

"'Great!' cried the churchwarden. 'Great, my dear sir! I hope it will bear fruit.'

"'I say,' asked the man confidentially, 'what did you snap your fingers for?'

"'Why, it reminded me that's the place where I left my umbrella.'"—Exchange.


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**She Spoke the Truth.**

Mabel—George stole a lot of kisses from me last night.

Maud—Oh, he doesn't know any better!

Mabel—Yes, that's so. He said they were better than any he ever had.—Truth.

**Reports From France.**

"What's the latest report from Paris?" asked the managing editor.

"I've just received two," replied the telegraph editor; "one from a duel and the other from a bombshell."—Washington Star.

**Misunderstood.**

Mother—Why, Johnny, how dare you tell your aunt that she is stupid! Go to her at once and tell her you're sorry.

Johnny—Auntie, I'm sorry you're stupid.—Hallo.

**What Came of It In Whatcom.**

A landlord in Whatcom, Wash., diplomatically induced a tenant to move by taking off the roof of the house.—Columbus Dispatch.

**Not All Habit, Though.**

Bilkins—You look unhappy.

Wilkins—Y-e-s; I—er—married a shop-girl, you know.

"A charming little woman she is too."

"Yes, I know; bless her! But every time she sees me she yells 'Cash!'"—Puck.

**No Excuse.**

Prisoner—It's hard to charge me with forgery, for you see I can't even sign my own name.

Judge—That point is immaterial. It's another man's name you're accused of signing.—London Tit-Bits.

**Hard on Fathers.**

Winks—What's the matter, old boy? You look as if you didn't get sleep enough. Got a new baby?

Jinks—No. Got a daughter old enough to have callers.—New York Weekly.

**Good Excuse.**

Judge—Why did you commit a second theft after you had just been acquitted of a first charge?

Prisoner—So that I could pay my lawyer.—Hallo.


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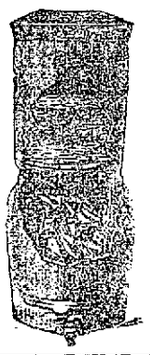

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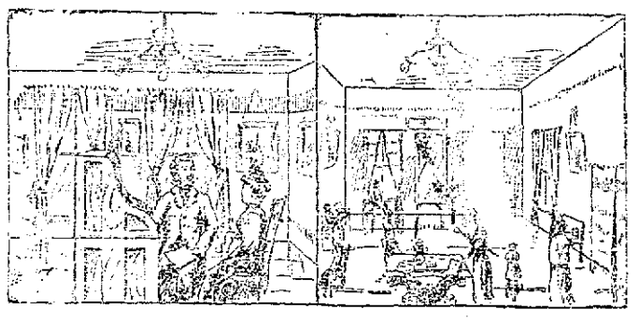

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IT LOOKS now as if President Cleveland would acquiesce in the policy of his party in regard to the Bland bill and sign that measure.

LOWELL LEGISLATORS are working hard to bring the normal school to Lowell. They have the strongest arguments and should gain the victory.

AN EFFORT will be made by the legislative committee on education to make manual training compulsory in the schools of Massachusetts cities.

THE 25,000 visitors to the Midway Plaisance who kissed a counterfeit Blarney stone will realize now that they are the victims of genuine Irish Blarney.

THE CAUCUSES for the election of a new democratic city committee will soon be held. These caucuses are more important than is generally supposed and they should be well attended by democratic voters throughout the city.

THAT WAS an eloquent tribute to the late Chief Howard delivered by Councilman Curtin at the meeting of the common council on Tuesday night. It was appreciative and expressive of the sorrow felt at the demise of the esteemed head of the police department.

THE BOSTON school committee is at present all one sided. It is overwhelmingly republican while the city is solidly democratic. The democrats ask for a law providing for minority representation. The committee of one hundred will hardly be willing to grant this slight privilege.

SOME OF the Boston papers of late gave up their front pages to patent medicine advertisements. That is something THE SUN has never done no matter what inducement was offered. Charles A. Dana of the New York Sun says $1,000,000 would not buy the front page of his paper for a single day.

THE HAVERHILL GAZETTE gives this piece of good advice to Boston laborers with a grievance:

"Labor should insist upon the construction of a system of underground rapid transit and the opening of new thoroughfares in such localities as are pestilence breeding. The legislature can assist by ordering these necessary and loudly called-for public improvements."

THE PENALTY of high rating by insurance companies for buildings in which there is not the proper protection against fire, will eventually bring about an improvement in the building laws. Such discussions as that held at the Board of Trade meeting on Tuesday evening should be heeded by those in whose hands rests the duty of improving the building laws.

BUSINESS IS not improving as much as might be expected with the advance of the season, but yet there are signs of improvement which are to a certain extent indicative of better times. The suspense regarding the decision of the tariff question is still the great barrier to the revival of business. Once that is settled, no matter how, business will start up again.

THE FINAL arguments on the senate substitute bill will be the most exciting. Senators Hill and Brice with all the followers they can influence will oppose the income tax feature on the democratic side; while Senators Lodge and Aldrich will lead the republican opposition. It is not unlikely that the substitute for the Wilson bill will undergo still greater modifications before it leaves the senate.

OUR ESTEEMED neighbor the Courier is mistaken in its opinion that Labouchere is not an influential member of parliament and that "Home rule bills fair to languish" while "it does not look like interesting times in British politics." The vote to abolish the house of lords which was carried in the house of commons on motion of Mr. Labouchere, indicates that he has considerable influence in parliament and that there will be very lively times ahead in British politics. The motion was adopted as an amendment to the Queen's speech and will have no effect further than to frighten the lords as an expression of popular sentiment. It places the new premier in a very embarrassing position at the outstart in his administration.

REPUBLICAN CITY COMMITTEE.

The republican city committee has adopted a set of iron clad rules for enforcing party discipline. The penalties embrace expulsions, ejections, evictions, exclusions, revocations, denunciations, reprimands, ostracisms, relegations, flagellations, cancellations, execrations, maledictions, ebullitions, effervescence (under the collar) and an array of other penalties stopping little short of lynching. The method of counting a quorum is far more original than that of Czar Reed. All the members present fifteen minutes after the meeting is called shall constitute a quorum. It may be that a single member may constitute a quorum and be under the necessity of presiding, acting as secretary, making motions, discussing them, putting the question to a vote and declaring them carried or defeated. Verily the city committee means business and is determined that republicans shall stand by republicans. The democratic city committee may find it necessary to do likewise but that is not a democratic method of counting a quorum.

IT APPEARS the license limit will not be removed this year. It may be changed so that there may be one license for 500 instead of for 1000.

### CURRENT CLIPPINGS.

Making an Enemy of Him.

Witherby—Well, I've just had my life insured.

Von Blumer—Let me congratulate you. That's one of the best things you ever did.

Witherby (complacently)—I thought so.

Von Blumer—Yes. I consider it a most important duty for any man to fulfill. He owes it to his wife and family.

Witherby—That's right. You haven't your life insured, have you?

Von Blumer—I am ashamed to say I haven't. You know how it is yourself. I have been putting it off until actually, old man, I can't bear to look at myself in the face.

Witherby—I can appreciate how you feel. But it isn't too late for you yet, old man.

Von Blumer—No, I suppose not. I guess I'll have to attend to it.

Witherby—I'll save you that trouble, old fellow.

Von Bloomer—What do you mean?

Witherby—Why, this morning I took the liberty of giving your name and address to the agent.

Von Blumer (aghast)—What!

Witherby—Yes, and you'll hear from him very soon.

Von Blumer—I will, will I? Look here, sir, you call yourself a friend of mine?

Witherby—Why, certainly.

Von Blumer—Well, sir, henceforth we are enemies. If you ever dare to recognize me again, I'll call you out. (Moves rapidly off.)—Truth.

A Reminder.

"Small towns have their compensations, after all," said an actor yesterday. "I've just been staying up in a town that boasts of four churches and stands badly in need of them all. Three of the ministers have been roasting their congregations every Sunday for the last two months, and consequently they have drawn crowded houses. Last week one of the churchwardens of the other church took the minister aside and hinted to him that his sermons were too conservative.

"'We're getting behind the times,' he exclaimed. 'You must stir us up a bit.'

"Last Sunday morning the minister opened up. A gatling gun couldn't have gone home to the congregation more effectually. Everybody in the town got trimmed, and by way of a climax the minister attacked one of the town's most questionable resorts. As the name of this place fell from the minister's lips one of the churchwardens snapped his fingers and exclaimed half audibly:

"'So it was; so it was!'

"On the way out of church a man accosted the churchwarden.

"'How's that for a sermon?' exclaimed the man.

"'Great!' cried the churchwarden. 'Great, my dear sir! I hope it will bear fruit.'

"'I say,' asked the man confidentially, 'what did you snap your fingers for?'

"'Why, it reminded me that's the place where I left my umbrella.'"—Exchange.

SUNBEAMS.

She Spoke the Truth.

Mabel—George stole a lot of kisses from me last night.

Maud—Oh, he doesn't know any better!

Mabel—Yes, that's so. He said they were better than any he ever had.—Truth.

Reports From France.

"What's the latest report from Paris?" asked the managing editor.

"I've just received two," replied the telegraph editor; "one from a duel and the other from a bombshell."—Washington Star.

Misunderstood.

Mother—Why, Johnny, how dare you tell your aunt that she is stupid! Go to her at once and tell her you're sorry.

Johnny—Auntie, I'm sorry you're stupid.—Hallo.

What Came of It In Whatcom.

A landlord in Whatcom, Wash., diplomatically induced a tenant to move by taking off the roof of the house.—Columbus Dispatch.

Not All Habit, Though.

Bilkins—You look unhappy.

Wilkins—Y-e-s; I—er—married a shopgirl, you know.

"A charming little woman she is too."

"Yes, I know; bless her! But every time she sees me she yells 'Cash!'"—Puck.

No Excuse.

Prisoner—It's hard to charge me with forgery, for you see I can't even sign my own name.

Judge—That point is immaterial. It's another man's name you're accused of signing.—London Tit-Bits.

Hard on Fathers.

Winks—What's the matter, old boy? You look as if you didn't get sleep enough. Got a new baby?

Jinks—No. Got a daughter old enough to have callers.—New York Weekly.

Good Excuse.

Judge—Why did you commit a second theft after you had just been acquitted of a first charge?

Prisoner—So that I could pay my lawyer.—Hallo.

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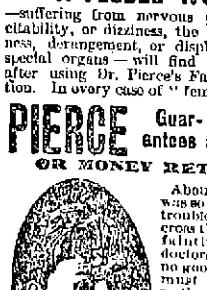

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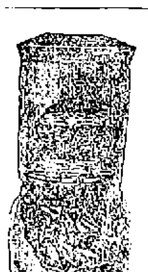

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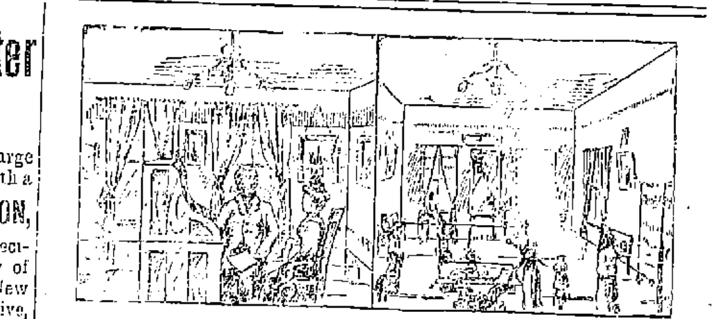

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# FOOD POISONED

## Many Guests Suffer at Jewish Wedding.

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BOSTON, March 15.—If Harry Feinberg of Worcester, and Miss Ida M. Margelies, daughter of Rabbi Margelies of this city, had not been married in Minot hall, and pickled tongue and cold chicken had not been served at the wedding feast, many persons who were present at the wedding might not have been in need of the services of a physician yesterday. The wedding was attended by a large number of Jewish people, and the festivities continued until late into the night, when the supper was served.

Over 90 chickens were killed by Rabbi Margolies, who is positive that the chickens were fresh, and is certain that the fault was in the cooking, which was done by a local baker. So great was the crowd of guests at the wedding that a second sitting down to the supper table had to be given, and it is thought that most of the victims were those who sat down at that sitting, as the food was taken from the bottoms and sides of the boilers.

**The Trouble Begins.**

There was no intimation that anything had gone wrong during the time the festivities were in progress, but after a majority of the people had gone to their homes in the North and West ends, the poison began its work. Shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday morning Dr. Kronberger, who keeps a drug store in Salem street, was called out to attend a woman and 9-year-old child at 89 Salem street, who were writhing in agony and in an apparently dangerous condition. Both were in spasms and were exhibiting all the symptoms of poisoning, and antidotes were quickly administered. This was the commencement, for up to 4.40 a. m. over 40 patients had come to the drug store to be treated.

The same program was being enacted in the several Jewish sections of the city, every Jewish physician having from five to 40 patients each, but up to the time of writing no fatalities have been reported. The Hebrew sections of the community are all excited over the event, and in a great number of cases it is the accepted opinion that the poisoning had been caused by using copper vessels, which had not been properly cleansed before using, while a few others hint that enemies of the rabbi had placed an emetic in the food for spite, because the rabbi was not of their way of thinking in matters pertaining to church work.

The doctors, however, are of the opinion that this latter view of the situation is wrong, and that the affair was caused by the copper in the boilers.

**Worcester Visitors Suffered.**

WORCESTER, Mass., March 15. — The Worcester delegation of Jews who attended the wedding at Boston got home last night. Thirteen of them ate of the poisoned meat and were sick, but none suffered badly save Joseph Baermann, rabbi and janitor of the Green street synagogue. His condition is quite critical. Harry Feinberg, the groom, returned with his bride and the Worcester guests. He is a pedler, living at 32 Pond street. He and his bride sat at the first table and were not poisoned.

**Withdraws His Suit.**

NEW HAVEN, March 15. — The suit for divorce which Arthur B. Lincoln, a New York sketch artist of wide reputation, brought in this city against his wife, has been withdrawn. The reason he gives is that he believes his wife wants to marry again, and he does not choose to help her so far along as to stand the expense of making her free to do so.

**A Fight With Nihilists.**

LONDON, March 15.—Advices from St. Petersburg, which lack confirmation, say that a squad of gendarmes discovered the members of a nihilist student society in the act of manufacturing infernal machines. A desperate fight occurred. Two gendarmes and three of the nihilists were killed, and the others were bound and taken to the citadel.

**Salvage of $50,000 Claimed.**

ST. JOHN'S, N. F. March 15.—The owners of steamer Virginia Lake, which towed steamer Briscoe to port, have issued a writ of attachment against the Briscoe, claiming salvage of $50,000, arguing that the intention to abandon the Briscoe was tantamount to an actual surrender.

**A Contract Labor Puzzle.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—A letter has been received at the immigration bureau from the inspector at Buffalo, asking for a ruling as to whether two Canadian baseball players engaged to play in this country come within the prohibitions of the alien contract labor law.

**Taken Back.**

LONDON, March 15.—The vote of the house of commons against the house of lords was withdrawn yesterday, and a substitute, which was much shorter, was accepted without a division. Rumors are widely circulating to the effect that Rosebery will resign.

**No License Enforced.**

STONINGTON, Conn., March 15.—The result of an energetic prosecution of all offenders is that saloons, some of which have been running for years, have all been closed. Stonington people are rejoicing over the great moral improvement in the town.

**People's Progressive Party.**

PITTSBURG, March 15.—The conference of the new national party adjourned after adopting the name of the "People's Progressive party." It was decided to call for a national convention in 1895 to nominate presidential candidates.

**Must Be Very Sick.**

WASHINGTON, March 15. Letters and telegrams have been received by members of Representative Wilson's family, indicating his condition and the purpose of returning north and referring to the gloomy spells of the sick man.

**The Henrietta Jackson Case.**

ITHACA, N. Y., March 15.—The coroner's jury brought in a verdict that Henrietta Jackson came to her death by reason of the inhalation of chloride or other irritant gas manufactured by a person or persons unknown.

**Wiltshaw Pleads Guilty.**

NEW YORK, March 15.—Harry C. Wiltshaw, the United States National bank clerk, who embezzled $30,000 from that institution, pleaded guilty to the charge, and was remanded for sentence on Monday.

# SUTHERLAND FOUND GUILTY.

## ONE OF McKANE'S FRIENDS GOES TO PRISON.

**Another Sentence for Corruption of the Ballot by a Police Court Justice.**

BROOKLYN, March 15.—After remaining out one hour and 18 minutes the Sutherland jury came into court last evening and announced that they had agreed upon a verdict. They found the defendant guilty as charged in the indictment. The penalty is one year in jail and $500, or both.

JUDGE SUTHERLAND.

Lawyer Backus was the only one of the counsel for the defense in the court at the time. It was learned when the verdict was announced that Sutherland had left the court and gone to New York with Colonel James. Mr. Backus notified the court that the defendant was under bail, and he would produce him whenever the court was ready to pronounce sentence. Judge Brown said that would be on Friday.

Kenneth F. Sutherland, a police justice of Gravesend, was accused of oppression, causing the arrest of John McNamara, Royal M. Steckles and Frank B. Cottrell, copyists sent to the town hall just prior to the elections by William J. Gaynor.

## NICARAGUA CANAL

**The Government Should Be Cautious About Rendering Assistance.**

BALTIMORE, March 15 — The Manufacturers' Record this week publishes letters from 18 governors replying to the question whether national aid should be given to secure the construction of the Nicaragua canal. Considerable divergence of opinion is shown, but the majority believe that the importance of the canal and the necessity of its being controlled by Americans justify national assistance, provided this can be given in such a way as not to enrich individuals at the expense of the country.

On this point, Governor Waite of Colorado says: "This government furnished the money to build and equip the Pacific railways. Congress was bribed to exchange our first mortgage liens for a second lien. The thieves who accomplished this sleight-of-hand all became millionaires. The country is swindled. It is proposed to play the same old game with the Nicaragua canal. Not any in mine, if you please."

**Released and Rearrested.**

BOSTON, March 15.—Walter Thatcher, the teller of the Brookline National bank, who acknowledged the embezzlement of $8300 of the institution's funds, was arraigned in the Brookline police court yesterday. On request of the president of the bank the case was nol prossed. Immediately after the court had discharged the defendant he was put under arrest and brought to this city, where he will be held for trial in the United States circuit court.

**Operatives Win.**

PROVIDENCE, March 15.—The Lymansville strike has been declared off and the weavers will return to their work at once. Superintendent Sack has abandoned the attempt to force the adoption of the two-loom basis of work, and the rate of wages will be adjusted to agree with that paid at the Olneyville mills. It is a victory for the operatives.

**On Robbers' Trail.**

GUTHRIE, O. T., March 15.—The war department has ordered out Lieutenant Walker of Fort Supply with 20 cavalrymen to chase the men who robbed the Woodward depot safe of the $10,000 of government money. Amos Chapin is also out with a posse of Indian scouts.

**Mayor Won't Yield.**

BROOKLYN, March 15.—Mayor Schieren expressed himself as fully determined to refuse to allow the Irish flag to be raised on the city hall on St. Patrick's day, notwithstanding the resolution passed by the board of aldermen. Without his approval the resolution is inoperative.

**Town Meeting Day.**

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 15.—Town meetings were held in about 230 towns of this state yesterday. Everything passed off smoothly so far as heard from. As only moderators and other town officers were chosen, no political significance can be ascribed to the elections.

**Devoid of Sensation.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The fifth day of the Pollard-Breckinridge trial was devoted by the plaintiff's attorneys to elaborating the main points already marked out by them in their case. There were no sensational incidents.

# FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION

## Of Yesterday.

# SHE THREW VITROL.

## ANGRY WOMAN TOOK AN AWFUL REVENGE.

**Her Victim Had a Narrow Escape From Disfigurement for Life—Story of the Parties Implicated.**

Mary J. Gilmore attempted to throw vitriol on Thomas Cox, who lives on the Merrimack corporation, last night. He had a narrow escape from a terrible burning.

Thomas Cox is a weaver in the Merrimack and lives on Colburn street in Ellis' boarding house. He was held up on Anne street about 7.15 o'clock last night by the said Mary J. Gilmore. The scene of what might have been a tragedy was near the grist mill. The woman demanded that he "leave the woman he was living with" and live with her.

Upon his refusal to do this he says, she hit him under the right eye with a milk can which she carried. The blow has left a wound on Mr. Cox's face. The contents of the can were spilled all over his clothing barely escaping his face and neck. The Gilmore woman ran, he says, and he followed her until he found the fluid was burning his skin. He ran home and removed his clothing finding that the fluid was vitriol and it had thoroughly burned his clothing. His hands are badly burned today. His wife applied oil and other dressings to alleviate the pain.

**Mr. Cox's Story.**

To a reporter Mr. Cox tells this story. In 1871 I married Rosanna Garnahan and lived with her a number of years in Boston. I then went travelling to get work and learn weaving in this city. While here my wife's mother said Rosanna was dead, which story of course I believed.

In 1878 I married Mary J. Gilmore at St. Peter's. I lived with her until I learned that my first wife was not dead. I then left Mary J. Gilmore and went travelling through New England. Sometime after I learned that my first wife was really dead, and so I married Miss Ma Young at Salmon Falls, N. H. Four years ago we came to this city to live and got work in the Merrimack mills.

A year ago the Gilmore woman learned that I was here and came and got out a warrant for my arrest on the charge of bigamy, and one against my wife on another charge.

After a hearing in the police court Judge Hadley held us for the grand jury.

Before the trial Mr. Cox had explained the circumstances to the district attorney, how he was not legally married to the Gilmore woman as his first wife was not dead, and after her death he had a right to marry Miss Young. Mr. and Mrs. Cox were discharged.

The Gilmore woman had settled in Lowell and got employment on the Tremont & Suffolk. After the discharge of the couple she left that corporation and got a job in the Merrimack but not in the same room as Mr. Cox.

In relation to the vitriol throwing incident Mr. Cox believes the Gilmore woman wanted revenge.

**Theatrical Manager Dead.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 14. John T. Ford, the veteran theatrical manager, died at his residence in this city this morning.

It is now almost 40 years since Mr. Ford became a theatrical manager. The history of John T. Ford from that period to this embraces virtually the dramatic and lyric annals of Baltimore.

It was in Ford's theatre in Washington that the assassin shot Lincoln.

**Republicans Won in Minnesota.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 14.—The republicans carried a majority of the municipal elections in Minnesota yesterday.

**$80,000 for Charities.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

BOSTON, March 14.—The will of Rufus S. Frost of Chelsea, which was today filed in the Suffolk probate court, gives more than $80,000 to charitable uses.

**DEATHS.**

The friends of the late Thomas J. Ferguson were shocked to hear of his untimely death which occurred yesterday afternoon. He contracted a severe cold and was gradually sinking under its effects until two days before his death when he was taken with pneumonia and had to take his bed. He received the best medical attendance but all was ineffectual. He was about 24 years of age, was married about eight years. He leaves no children but his widow, his mother, Mrs. Mary Bradley, and his two sisters have the deep sympathy of all who know them in their sad bereavement. Deceased was a very popular young man and the picture of health. He had been employed in White's tannery but was recently a bartender in the Opera House cafe. He was for a considerable time a sergeant in the Putnam Guards and belonged to several social clubs. He was a genial, good natured young man and highly esteemed by all who knew him. The funeral will take place from St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock tomorrow forenoon.

**Laurent Roy Found.**

Laurent Roy, the old man who wandered away from his home on Salem street, last week and had not been heard of, turned up this morning, and was taken to his home. Officer James McNabb found him up at the Middlesex street station at 4 o'clock this morning and after inquiry took him to the police station and afterwards to his family.

The old man was footsore, and said that he had walked from here through a portion of New Hampshire in search of work. Failing to obtain employment he returned home. He and his family are comfortably situated and there was no need of his doing any work.

**Euchre Club Meeting.**

The M. H. L. Euchre club held a meeting last evening at the house of Miss Lizzie Halloren, on Second avenue, Pawtucketville. First prizes were taken by Frank Cummings and Miss Lillian Smith and the booby prize went to Mr. Charles Chitty. Songs were rendered by Messrs. Chitty, M. Kennedy and Miss Leclair. Refreshments were served and the party broke up at a late hour after having heartily enjoyed the occasion.

**Foot Ball Game.**

The Lowell Celtics and the Albions will play a game of foot ball Saturday, March 17th, at Atherton. Game called at 3 o'clock. The Celtics are open to arrange games with any club in this city. Address all challenges to Michael Casey, No. 1 Albion street, Lowell, Mass.

**There Was Terrific Slaughter.**

The Immaculate Conception school baseball nine defeated the Moody school nine yesterday by the cricket score of 61 to 28. The features of the game were the pitching of McCann and the catching and batting of Beattie, who made four home runs.

**Whist Tournament Winners.**

The whist tournament of the Burke Temperance Institute came to an end last evening. The games have been very exciting, and during the week the game room has been crowded each evening, so great was the interest manifested. It was 11 o'clock last evening when the final games were finished, and prizes were awarded as follows: First prize, silk umbrellas, were won by James McGrath and Eugene Flynn, score, 175; second prizes, scarf pins, won by John McBride and William Burns, score, 174; third prizes, briar root pipes, won by Edward Farrell and James Howard, score, 170.


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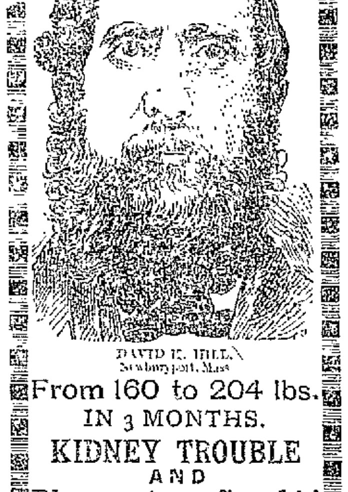

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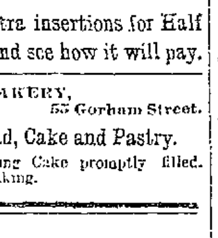

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**For Salem and Lynn**, 12.15, 5.10 p. m.

**For Newburyport**, 12.15, 2.10, 3.25, 6.15 p. m.

**For Exeter, and Dover**, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

**For Rochester** and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m., 12.15, 3.25 p. m.

**For Somersworth, N.H., Salmon Falls**, Saco and Portland 8.30 a.m., 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35.

**For Augusta**, Bath, Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.00 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

**For Bangor**; Belfast, Waterville, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.15, 6.10 p.m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

**For St. John N. B.**, Montreal, Quebec, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays): SUNDAY, 5.35 p. m.

**For Eastport** and St John's (per steamer), on Mondays and Thursdays at 12.15 p. m.

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Trains leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell,

**For Boston**—5.45, 6.30, §6.50, *7.45, *8.50, *9.25, *9.50, 11.00 a. m.; *12.10, 1.35, 2.10, *3.00, 1.30, *6.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, †7.45, 8.45, *9.15 a. m.

**Trains leave Middlesex Street, Lowell, as follows:**

**For Boston**—5.48, 6.34, §6.53, 7.01, *7.18, *7.27, *7.48, *8.57, 9.23, *9.35, *9.58, 11.05, 11.44 a. m., *12.17, 1.38, 2.13, †3.03, 4.02, 4.33, *5.20, †5.13, *6.28, 7.52, p. m. SUNDAYS, *7.17, *7.27, †7.48, 8.48, *9.20 a. m.; §1.25, 6.01 p. m.

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**For Salem** and Way Stations—§7.38 a. m.; 1.25, 5.50 p. m. Via South Lawrence 6.30 a. m

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**For Ayer Junction** and Way Stations—7.15 a. m.; 12.00, 5.19 and 5.49 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.

**For Amherst, Milford and Wilton**—9.14 a. m.; 12.57, 3.43, 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.

**For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene**—9.11 a. m. and 3.44 p. m.

**For Nashua**, Manchester and Concord 7.14, 9.14, 9.45, 12.11 a.m.; 12.57, 1.47, 3.13, (5.00 Nashua only), 5.42, 6.22, 8.13, 8.43 p.m. SUNDAYS 10.05 a. m. to Nashua only), 2.00, 6.00 8.15, 8.45 p. m.

**For Penacook**, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9.14, 9.45, 12.11, a. m.; 1.47, (5.42 Franklin only), †8.43 p. m.

**For Warner**, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—9.45 a.m.; 1.47p. m.

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**For Montpelier**, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.45 a. m.; 12.11, †8.13 p. m.

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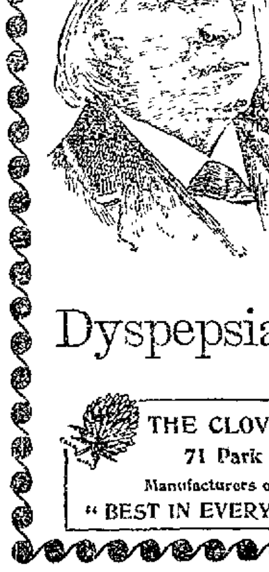

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# FOOD POISONED

## Many Guests Suffer at Jewish Wedding.

THE CHICKEN SALAD AND PICKLED TONGUE

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BOSTON, March 15.—If Harry Feinberg of Worcester, and Miss Ida M. Margelies, daughter of Rabbi Margelies of this city, had not been married in Minot hall, and pickled tongue and cold chicken had not been served at the wedding feast, many persons who were present at the wedding might not have been in need of the services of a physician yesterday. The wedding was attended by a large number of Jewish people, and the festivities continued until late into the night, when the supper was served.

Over 90 chickens were killed by Rabbi Margolies, who is positive that the chickens were fresh, and is certain that the fault was in the cooking, which was done by a local baker. So great was the crowd of guests at the wedding that a second sitting down to the supper table had to be given, and it is thought that most of the victims were those who sat down at that sitting, as the food was taken from the bottoms and sides of the boilers.

**The Trouble Begins.**

There was no intimation that anything had gone wrong during the time the festivities were in progress, but after a majority of the people had gone to their homes in the North and West ends, the poison began its work. Shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday morning Dr. Kronberger, who keeps a drug store in Salem street, was called out to attend a woman and 9-year-old child at 60 Salem street, who were writhing in agony and in an apparently dangerous condition. Both were in spasms and were exhibiting all the symptoms of poisoning, and antidotes were quickly administered. This was the commencement, for up to 4:30 a. m. over 40 patients had come to the drug store to be treated.

The same program was being enacted in the several Jewish sections of the city, every Jewish physician having from five to 40 patients each, but up to the time of writing no fatalities have been reported. The Hebrew sections of the community are all excited over the event, and in a great number of cases it is the accepted opinion that the poisoning had been caused by using copper vessels, which had not been properly cleansed before using, while a few others hint that enemies of the rabbi had placed an emetic in the food for spite, because the rabbi was not of their way of thinking in matters pertaining to church work.

The doctors, however, are of the opinion that this latter view of the situation is wrong, and that the affair was caused by the copper in the boilers.

**Worcester Visitors Suffered.**

WORCESTER, Mass., March 15. — The Worcester delegation of Jews who attended the wedding at Boston got home last night. Thirteen of them ate of the poisoned meat and were sick, but none suffered badly save Joseph Baermann, rabbi and janitor of the Green street synagogue. His condition is quite critical. Harry Feinberg, the groom, returned with his bride and the Worcester guests. He is a pedler, living at 32 Pond street. He and his bride sat at the first table and were not poisoned.

**Withdraws His Suit.**

NEW HAVEN, March 15.—The suit for divorce which Arthur B. Lincoln, a New York sketch artist of wide reputation, brought in this city against his wife, has been withdrawn. The reason he gives is that he believes his wife wants to marry again, and he does not choose to help her so far along as to stand the expense of making her free to do so.

**A Fight With Nihilists.**

LONDON, March 15.—Advices from St. Petersburg, which lack confirmation, say that a squad of gendarmes discovered the members of a nihilist student society in the act of manufacturing infernal machines. A desperate fight occurred. Two gendarmes and three of the nihilists were killed, and the others were bound and taken to the citadel.

**Salvage of $50,000 Claimed.**

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., March 15.—The owners of steamer Virginia Lake, which towed steamer Briscoe to port, have issued a writ of attachment against the Briscoe, claiming salvage of $50,000, arguing that the intention to abandon the Briscoe was tantamount to an actual surrender.

**A Contract Labor Puzzle.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—A letter has been received at the immigration bureau from the inspector at Buffalo, asking for a ruling as to whether two Canadian baseball players engaged to play in this country come within the prohibitions of the alien contract labor law.

**Taken Back.**

LONDON, March 15.—The vote of the house of commons against the house of lords was withdrawn yesterday, and a substitute, which was much shorter, was accepted without a division. Rumors are widely circulating to the effect that Rosebery will resign.

**No License Enforced.**

STONINGTON, Conn., March 15.—The result of an energetic prosecution of all offenders is that saloons, some of which have been running for years, have all been closed. Stonington people are rejoicing over the great moral improvement in the town.

**People's Progressive Party.**

PITTSBURG, March 15.—The conference of the new national party adjourned after adopting the name of the "People's Progressive party." It was decided to call for a national convention in 1896 to nominate presidential candidates.

**Must Be Very Sick.**

WASHINGTON, March 15. Letters and telegrams have been received by members of Representative Wilson's family, indicating his condition and the purpose of returning north and referring to the gloomy spells of the sick man.

**The Henrietta Jackson Case.**

ITHACA, N. Y., March 15.—The coroner's jury brought in a verdict that Henrietta Jackson came to her death by reason of the inhalation of chloride or other irritant gas manufactured by a person or persons unknown.

**Wiltshaw Pleads Guilty.**

NEW YORK, March 15.—Harry C. Wiltshaw, the United States National bank clerk, who embezzled $30,000 from that institution, pleaded guilty to the charge, and was remanded for sentence on Monday.

# SUTHERLAND FOUND GUILTY.

## ONE OF McKANE'S FRIENDS GOES TO PRISON.

**Another Sentence for Corruption of the Ballot by a Police Court Justice.**

BROOKLYN, March 15.—After remaining out one hour and 18 minutes the Sutherland jury came into court last evening and announced that they had agreed upon a verdict. They found the defendant guilty as charged in the indictment. The penalty is one year in jail and $500, or both.

JUDGE SUTHERLAND.

Lawyer Backus was the only one of the counsel for the defense in the court at the time. It was learned when the verdict was announced that Sutherland had left the court and gone to New York with Colonel James. Mr. Backus notified the court that the defendant was under bail, and he would produce him whenever the court was ready to pronounce sentence. Judge Brown said that would be on Friday.

Kenneth F. Sutherland, a police justice of Gravesend, was accused of oppression, causing the arrest of John McNamara, Royal M. Steckles and Frank B. Cottrell, copyists sent to the town hall just prior to the elections by William J. Gaynor.

## NICARAGUA CANAL

**The Government Should Be Cautious About Rendering Assistance.**

BALTIMORE, March 15. — The Manufacturers' Record this week publishes letters from 18 governors replying to the question whether national aid should be given to secure the construction of the Nicaragua canal. Considerable divergence of opinion is shown, but the majority believe that the importance of the canal and the necessity of its being controlled by Americans justify national assistance, provided this can be given in such a way as not to enrich individuals at the expense of the country.

On this point, Governor Waite of Colorado says: "This government furnished the money to build and equip the Pacific railways. Congress was bribed to exchange our first mortgage liens for a second lien. The thieves who accomplished this sleight-of-hand all became millionaires. The country is swindled. It is proposed to play the same old game with the Nicaragua canal. Not any in mine, if you please."

**Released and Rearrested.**

BOSTON, March 15.—Walter Thatcher, the teller of the Brookline National bank, who acknowledged the embezzlement of $3200 of the institution's funds, was arraigned in the Brookline police court yesterday. On request of the president of the bank the case was not pressed. Immediately after the court had discharged the defendant he was put under arrest and brought to this city, where he will be held for trial in the United States circuit court.

**Operatives Win.**

PROVIDENCE, March 15.—The Lymansville strike has been declared off and the weavers will return to their work at once. Superintendent Sack has abandoned the attempt to force the adoption of the two-loom basis of work, and the rate of wages will be adjusted to agree with that paid at the Olneyville mills. It is a victory for the operatives.

**On Robbers' Trail.**

GUTHRIE, O. T., March 15.—The war department has ordered out Lieutenant Walker of Fort Supply with 20 cavalrymen to chase the men who robbed the Woodward depot safe of the $10,000 of government money. Amos Chapin is also out with a posse of Indian scouts.

**Mayor Won't Yield.**

BROOKLYN, March 15.—Mayor Schieren expressed himself as fully determined to refuse to allow the Irish flag to be raised on the city hall on St. Patrick's day, notwithstanding the resolution passed by the board of aldermen. Without his approval the resolution is inoperative.

**Town Meeting Day.**

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 15.—Town meetings were held in about 230 towns of this state yesterday. Everything passed off smoothly so far as heard from. As only moderators and other town officers were chosen, no political significance can be ascribed to the elections.

**Devoid of Sensation.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The fifth day of the Pollard-Breckinridge trial was devoted by the plaintiff's attorneys to elaborating the main points already marked out by them in their case. There were no sensational incidents.

# FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION Of Yesterday.

## SHE THREW VITROL.

## ANGRY WOMAN TOOK AN AWFUL REVENGE.

**Her Victim Had a Narrow Escape From Disfigurement for Life. Story of the Parties Implicated.**

Mary J. Gilmore attempted to throw vitrol on Thomas Cox, who lives on the Merrimack corporation, last night. He had a narrow escape from a terrible burning.

Thomas Cox is a weaver in the Merrimack and lives on Colburn street in Ellis' boarding house. He was held up on Anne street about 7.15 o'clock last night by the said Mary J. Gilmore. The scene of what might have been a tragedy was near the grist mill. The woman demanded that he "leave the woman he was living with" and live with her.

Upon his refusal to do this he says, she hit him under the right eye with a milk can which she carried. The blow has left a wound on Mr. Cox's face. The contents of the can were spilled all over his clothing barely escaping his face and neck. The Gilmore woman ran, he says, and he followed her until he found the fluid was burning his skin. He ran home and removed his clothing finding that the fluid was vitriol and it had thoroughly burned his clothing. His limbs are badly burned today. His wife applied oil and other dressings to alleviate the pain.

**Mr. Cox's Story.**

To a reporter Mr. Cox tells this story: In 1871 I married Rosanna Garrahan and lived with her a number of years in Boston. I then went travelling to get work and learn weaving in this city. While here my wife's mother said Rosanna was dead, which story of course I believed.

In 1878 I married Mary J. Gilmore at St. Peter's. I lived with her until I learned that my first wife was not dead. I then left Mary J. Gilmore and went travelling through New England. Sometime later I learned that my first wife was really dead, and so I married Miss Alice Young at Salmon Falls, N. H. Four years ago we came to this city to live and got work in the Merrimack mills.

A year ago the Gilmore woman learned that I was here and came and got out a warrant for my arrest on the charge of bigamy, and one against my wife on another charge.

After a hearing in the police court Judge Hadley held us for the grand jury.

Before the trial Mr. Cox had explained the circumstances to the district attorney, how he was not legally married to the Gilmore woman as his first wife was not dead, and after her death he had a right to marry Miss Young. Mr. and Mrs. Cox were discharged.

The Gilmore woman had settled in Lowell and got employment on the Tremont & Suffolk. After the discharge of the couple she left that corporation and got a job in the Merrimack but not in the same room as Mr. Cox.

In relation to the vitriol throwing incident Mr. Cox believes the Gilmore woman wanted revenge.

**Theatrical Manager Dead.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 14. John T. Ford, the veteran theatrical manager, died at his residence in this city this morning.

It is now almost 40 years since Mr. Ford became a theatrical manager. The history of John T. Ford from that period to this embraces virtually the dramatic and lyric annals of Baltimore.

It was in Ford's theatre in Washington that the assassin shot Lincoln.

**Republicans Won In Minnesota.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 14.—The republicans carried a majority of the municipal elections in Minnesota yesterday.

**$30,000 for Charities.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

BOSTON, March 14.—The will of Rufus S. Frost of Chelsea, which was today filed in the Suffolk probate court, gives more than $30,000 to charitable uses.

## DEATHS.

The friends of the late Thomas J. Ferguson were shocked to hear of his untimely death which occurred yesterday afternoon. He contracted a severe cold and was gradually sinking under its effects until two days before his death when he was taken with pneumonia and had to take his bed. He received the best medical attendance but all was ineffectual. He was about 24 years of age, was married about eight years. He leaves no children but his widow, his mother, Mrs. Mary Bradley, and his two sisters have the deep sympathy of all who know them in their sad bereavement. Deceased was a very popular young man and the picture of health. He had been employed in White's tannery but was recently a bartender in the Opera House cafe. He was for a considerable time a sergeant in the Putnam Guards and belonged to several social clubs. He was a genial, good natured young man and highly esteemed by all who knew him. The funeral will take place from St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock tomorrow forenoon.

**Laurent Roy Found.**

Laurent Roy, the old man who wandered away from his home on Salem street, last week and had not been heard of, turned up this morning, and was taken to his home. Officer James McNabb found him up at the Middlesex street station at 4 o'clock this morning and after inquiry took him to the police station and afterwards to his family.

The old man was footsore, and said that he had walked from here through a portion of New Hampshire in search of work. Failing to obtain employment he returned home. He and his family are comfortably situated and there was no need of his doing any work.

**Euchre Club Meeting.**

The M. H. L. Euchre club held a meeting last evening at the house of Miss Lizzie Halloren, on Second avenue, Pawtucketville. First prizes were taken by Frank Cummings and Miss Lillian Smith and the booby prize went to Mr. Charles Chitty. Songs were rendered by Messrs. C. Chitty, M. Kennedy and Miss Leclair. Refreshments were served and the party broke up at a late hour after having heartily enjoyed the occasion.

**Foot Ball Game.**

The Lowell Celtics and the Albions will play a game of foot ball Saturday, March 17th, at Atherton. Game called at 3 o'clock. The Celtics are open to arrange games with any club in this city. Address all challenges to Michael Casey, No. 1 Albion street, Lowell, Mass.

**There Was Terrible Slaughter.**

The Immaculate Conception school baseball nine defeated the Moody school nine yesterday by the cricket score of 61 to 28. The features of the game were the pitching of McCrann and the catching and batting of Beattie, who made four home runs.

**Whist Tournament Winners.**

The whist tournament of the Burke Temperance Institute came to an end last evening. The games have been very exciting, and during the week the game room has been crowded each evening, so great was the interest manifested. It was 11 o'clock last evening when the final games were finished, and prizes were awarded as follows: First prize, silk umbrellas, were won by James McGarrahan and Eugene Flynn, score, 175; second prizes, scarf pins, won by John McBride and William Burns, score, 174; third prizes, briar root pipes, won by Edward Farrell and James Howard, score, 170.

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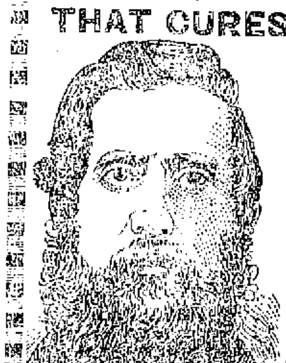

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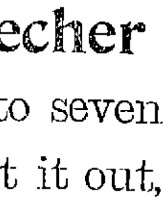

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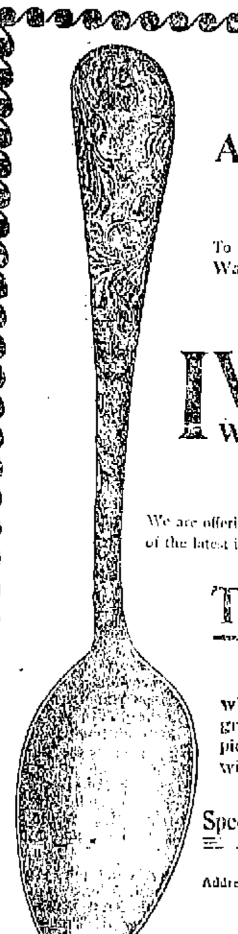

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For Newburyport, 12.15, 2.40, 3.25, 6.15 p. m.

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For Boston—5.48, 6.34, §6.53, 7.01, *7.18, *7.27, *7.48, *8.57, 9.28, *9.35, *9.58, 11.03, 11.14 a. m., *12.17, 1.38, 2.13, §3.03, 4.02, 4.30, *5.32, §5.43, *6.28, 7.52, p. m. SUNDAYS, *7.17, *7.27, §7.48, 8.48, *9.20 a. m., §4.25, 6.03 p. m.

For Woburn, 6.30, §7.01, 7.35, *7.45, 11.00 a.m., 1.35, 4.30, *§5.33, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m., §4.25, §6.03, p.m.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT—Office, Supervising architect, Washington, D. C., March 8, 1894. Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 2 o'clock, p. m., on the 23d day of March, 1894, and opened immediately thereafter, for all the labor and materials required to put in place and complete a tower clock and bell, for the U. S. post office building at Lowell, Mass., in accordance with the drawing and specification, copies of which may be had at this office or the office of the superintendent at Lowell, Mass. each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for a sum not less than 2 per cent. of the proposal. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and to waive any defect or informality in any bid, if it be deemed in the interest of the government to do so. All proposals received after the time stated will be returned to the bidders. Proposals must be enclosed in envelopes, sealed and marked, "Proposal for tower clock and bell for the U. S. post office building at Lowell, Mass.," and addressed to, JEREMIAH O'ROURKE, supervising architect.

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Strikes!

Strikes!!

Strikes!!!

Strikes bring joy to the bowler, but I fear distress to the thousands of operatives in Lawrence and Fall River.

Strikes are successful only with a rising market—never with a falling one. The present depressed condition of the markets and trade generally, should deter the operatives from striking against a reduction of wages. A reduction of wages is always to be deplored, but in the winter time what are the operatives to do but submit; a half loaf is better than none, but with the return of spring it is hoped there will be a revival of trade; let us hope the old schedule of wages will be restored and consequently everybody made happy.

In the meantime be of good cheer, keep good hours, spend much time at home; you are then away from temptation, and if you must have something to cheer you and the family, why send an order to John Warburton, Globe Hotel, for Port or Sherry Wine, 3 large bottles for $1. Whiskey for family use 75c. per bottle, 3 for $2.

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### SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR THURSDAY, MARCH 15.

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| SUN RISES | 5 58 | MOON SETS | 2 19 AM |
| SUN SETS | 5 51 | FULL SEA | 5 15 AM |
| LENGTH OF DAY | 11 53 | | 5 45 PM |

Forecast for New England: Fair; northwest gales, diminishing.

### THE ONLY ONE.

THE SUN is the only genuinely democratic daily published in a democratic city of eighty thousand inhabitants. Advertisers should bear this important fact in mind.

## LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Quinn have returned from Minneapolis, Minn.

Gov. Greenhalge was the guest of the Expressmen's league in Boston last night.

Ed. Flannigan of this city, the well known ball player has been signed by Fall River.

Freight business on the railroad is picking up noticeably which is one of the many signs that better times are near at hand.

Rev. F. O. Hall of this city assisted in the marriage of Mr. F. A. Young and Miss Issie S. Brooks, at Fitchburg, yesterday.

Comrade and Rep. W. H. I. Hayes was elected a member of the executive committee of a body of war veterans which dined in Boston yesterday.

At the next regular meeting of Court Merrimack, A. O. F. of A., delegates will be elected to the annual convention which will be held in Lawrence.

A meeting of the executive committee of the democratic city committee will be held this evening at which it is said a meeting of the whole organization will be called.

Have you seen the beautiful display of millinery, etc., at Courville & Tarte's store 131 East Merrimack street? Tomorrow and Saturday occurs the grand opening. Everybody should go and get an idea of the Easter styles.

#### The First Street Grounds.

A meeting of those interested in athletics at the Y. M. C. A. gym., will probably be held on Friday evening, to arrange plans for the coming season and to see what can be done to put the First street track into shape for use.

#### What "Bill" Said.

In the discussion on women's suffrage in the house yesterday Mr. Hayes of Lowell said the time has now come when it must be decided whether Massachusetts shall be governed as in the past or a complete revolution shall take place.

#### Meeting of City Employes.

The city employes will hold a public meeting at 12 Middle street next Monday evening at 8 o'clock to listen to addresses by Messrs. McPadden, Maguire and O'Brien, all of Boston. The meeting is to be under the auspices of Social Assembly, K. of L. Mr. McPadden is master workman of the state.

#### Mr. Shaw's Valued Gifts.

Mr. Ralph H. Shaw, son of the late B. F. Shaw, and a poet whose effusion are receiving much favorable comment, here and elsewhere, is the recipient of a pen, penholder and spectacle wiper, which were once used by the gentle Whittier at his home in Amesbury. A relative of Mr. Whittier gave the highly prized mementos to Mr. Shaw. May the articles, prosaic as they are, yet redolent with sweet memories serve as an inspiration to Mr. Shaws' pen in what is sweetest and noblest in verse.

#### The Liberal Conference.

At the First Universalist church last evening, the fourth in the series of special conferences of the liberal churches was held. Song service was led by J. Avison Baker. Rev. R. A. Greene read from the scripture, and also offered prayer. Rev. Grindall Reynolds was next introduced by Rev. F. O. Hall and delivered an interesting address. He chose for his text John xiv. 11, the topic for discussion being "True and false treasures."

Rev. Mr. Hall and Rev. Mr. Greene also spoke. The meeting this evening will be held at the Unitarian church.

#### The Commission Ordinance.

Here is the substance of the ordinance in Lawrence under which it is proposed to establish a license commission: Section one constitutes a board of three license commissioners, selected from the two principal parties. Section two provides for their appointment by the mayor, immediately after the passage of the ordinance, subject to confirmation by the aldermen, and to hold office until the first day of May, 1895, or until their successors are appointed and confirmed. Section three orders that the board shall organize and elect a chairman from among their number, and the city clerk is to act as clerk of the commission. Section four stipulates that the board shall report its doings to the aldermen, and fixes the salary of the members at $300 yearly.

## CLOSE MILL MEN.

#### What a Legislative Committee May Find on Investigation.

There is considerable fun being poked at the members of the committee appointed to canvass the corporations represented in the Manufacturers' association and learn what the members will agree to, says the Fall River Herald. It is a pretty well established fact that some men who have stock in local mills will agree to nothing, much less agree to a long talk with competitors in the business. Some satisfaction can be found in political committees that are sent out to canvass opinions as it oftentimes happens that a bottle of wine and an occasional duck is thrown in.

But among manufacturers there are some men so close that they won't even buy a collar for a dog, much less a cigar for inquiring friends. If there was a prospect of a pleasant chat in all cases, the committeemen would have an easier time ahead of them, but it's known that most treasurers who are to be interviewed haven't even a clay pipe for entertainment.

## SOCIAL AFFAIRS.

The Dazzler Whist club entertained their gentlemen friends, at Miss McAlvin's home, Tuesday evening. Florence H. Addition and Mrs. John P. Cosgrove won first prize; Mrs. Henry J McAvlin and Miss Carrie J. Leighton second prize; and the consolation went to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gray.

Mrs. G. C. Prince entertained a number of her friends at a whist party last evening. Honors were won by Hon. George A. Marden and Mrs. C. E. Adams.

The Highland Twenty Whist club met with Mr. and Buckland of Westford street, Tuesday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. C. O. Davis and Mrs. L. M. Turner, and the consolation by Mrs. F. L. Bachelder.

Mrs. W. E. Hall of Wilder street entertained the Young Married Ladies' Whist club Tuesday afternoon. The highest scores were made by Mrs. Charles E. Howe and Mrs. Julian Cameron of Westford.

There was a gathering of friends at the house of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Rollins in Centralville, Tuesday evening. Whist was played and the prizes were won by Mrs. I. E. Watton, Mr. George W. Patten and Mr. H. F. Barnes.

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## BAY STATE LEGISLATURE.

### THE LIQUOR TRAFFIC RECEIVES MUCH ATTENTION.

**Woman Suffrage in Municipal Affairs Passed by the House—Other Matters of General Interest.**

BOSTON, March 15.—One of the most important measures that is occupying public attention is one for the establishment of a state commission on license for the purpose of taking the liquor question out of politics

The committee having charge of this matter gave a public hearing and met to discuss and vote as to whether or not a favorable report should be presented to the legislature. The vote stood five to five, with Mr. Buck absent. It was decided to adjourn until all the member of the committee should be present In the meantime the Massachusetts Progress club, an organization having branches in 20 cities and towns in the commonwealth, are circulating petitions favoring the commission, and it is expected that fully 150,000 names will be subscribed before the committee meets again.

Women were granted extraordinary privileges by the house They have now only to capture the senate and then secure the governor's signature to be privileged to vote for mayor, aldermen, councilmen and school committee, and on the question of license at the next municipal elections in the cities of the commonwealth.

The senate judiciary committee reported ought not to pass on the bill requiring the state and cities of over 50,000 population to pay laborers $2 a day for nine hours' work. It was further stipulated that only citizens be employed upon state or municipal work.

Leave to withdraw was reported on the petition of the mayor of altham for legislation creating a board f five cemetery commissioners to hav charge of the public cemeteries of that city.

An adverse report was made on the bill to increase the salaries of the Boston board of aldermen from $1500 to $1000 annually.

Ought not to pass was reported on the bill establishing the standing as a recognized political party of any party which has or shall for 10 consecutive years cast 1000 or more votes for its candidate for governor, also that any political party which shall increase as rapidly as to poll at least 5 per cent of the total vote for governor before the expiration of 10 years shall be recognized in the same manner.

Adverse reports were made to the house by committees on the following petitions and bills Petition for legislation requiring conditional sales of personal property to be recorded and protecting the rights of vendee in such sales. petition for an extension of the duties of medical examiners; petition for repeal of existing laws in regard to proceedings before grand juries; petition of the Newburyport Veteran Artillery association to be exempt from jury duty; petition for legislation giving the supreme judicial court authority to determine the ownership of $200,000 worth of bonds in the hands of the state treasurer, deposited by the Cape Cod Ship Canal company and claimed by Quincy A. Shaw; petition that women may be appointed special commissioners; petition that justices and special justices may take acknowledgments of deeds and solemnize marriages; petition to prevent the exhibition of prizefights; bill prohibiting circulation of petitions relating to labor legislation in factories and workshops; bill to compel sleeping car companies to close the upper berth when not sold; bill providing that the tax on the property and franchise of street railway companies shall be received directly by the cities and towns where the railways are operated; bill imposing a tax on legacies and successions.

#### Spring Meet at Boston.

BOSTON, March 15.—At the quarterly meeting of the board of officers of the Massachusetts division of the League of American Wheelmen it was voted that the spring meet be held here May 30. Two thousand dollars was appropriated for the publication of a new roadbook and maps. Resolutions were adopted recommending that the League of American Wheelmen hereafter publish its own official organ.

#### Operators the Victors.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., March 15.—The striking miners will hold a meeting at Montgomery to declare the strike off, and they will return to work at the reduced prices The Edgewater, Great Kanawha and Cannelton miners resumed operations yesterday.

#### Treasury Figures.

WASHINGTON, March 15 — The cash balance in the treasury at the close of business yesterday was $136 855,957, and the net gold reserve $107,347,476, a gain since Tuesday of $187,982.

#### Arbitration Failed.

LAWRENCE, Mass., March 15 —The state board of arbitration has failed to effect a compromise in the Arlington mills difficulty. Agent Redford says the mill will not pay any higher wages at present. The entire mill has shut down, leaving over 3500 employes idle

#### Charged With Stealing Tickets.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., March 15—John Bloom, a ticket scalper, was bound over for stealing tickets belonging to the Consolidated road. Bloom was in league with Conductor Leahy, who is now serving out a sentence in jail here.

#### Sadly Afflicted.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., March 15. — An epidemic of diphtheria has broken out in Portland, and three children of Thomas Hicks have died from the disease. Another child is sick and is not expected to recover.

#### Guarding Against Smallpox.

SOUTH NORWALK, Conn., March 15.—The boarding house of John Dennis, where Charles Peterson, the traveling smallpox patient stayed while in this city, has been quarantined by the board of health.

#### No Quorum.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—A quorum of the house committee on agriculture failed to appear yesterday, and the consideration of the anti-option bill was therefore postponed.

#### Session Will Be Long.

OTTAWA, March 15.—Parliament opened today. The general impression is that the session will be long and arduous.

#### Ran Away From Competitors.

CANNES, March 15.—The Prince of Wales' cutter Britannia scored a victory in the race for the Prix de Cannes. The Britannia finished nearly 40 minutes ahead of the Valkyrie, which was second.

#### Fourteen Days Overdue.

BROOKLYN, March 15.—The Wildon line steamship Apollo has not been seen or heard of since she left this port for Antwerp on Feb. 11. She is now 14 days overdue.

#### Ten Yet to Be Recovered.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., March 15.—The searchers in the Gaylord mine this morning unearthed the body of another victim. There are still at least 10 in the mine.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

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A delicious smoke—Old Hundred cigar.

T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan Bl'dg.

Grand Canton Pawtucket, P. M., nominated officers at the meeting last night.

E. G Parker, 23 E. Merrimack street, will name low prices on coal for a few days only. See ad.

Miss Jessie Lewis will give the entertainment on Saturday evening, at the women's branch of the Peoples club.

Mayor Rutter of Lawrence extinguished a fire with a broom, yesterday. It was in the awning in front of the Telegram office.

The greatest favor you can confer on friends is to give them your photo. The place to get photos taken is at Marion's, Barrister's hall.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Whitham, of the corner of Humphrey and Methuen streets, was visited by about sixty friends last evening. It was in the nature of a surprise. The visitors were hospitably entertained.

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#### A Peculiar Freak.

PROVIDENCE, March 15 —The police are greatly mystified by what is probably the work of a crank. During the past week scores of heavy silver door plates have been unscrewed from fashionable residences and carried away. The police were amazed when 19 of the missing plates were found wrapped up in a newspaper and lying on the front steps of station 3 last evening. The plates were uninjured.

#### The Peck Murder.

HARTFORD, March 15—The murder of Robert Peck of West Hartford is still a mystery. Of the nine arrests on suspicion all but seven have been released; the last two arrested in Thompsonville will be held for further examination.

#### Probably Written by Anarchists.

MONTREAL, March 15. — Mayor Villeneuve has received several threatening letters promising to blow up the city hall and his private residence with dynamite bombs. The police have the matter in hand.

#### The Paterson Strike.

PATERSON, N J., March 15.—The striking silk workers are confident the employers will concede nearly all demands. The authorities in Paterson are of the same opinion and apprehend no more trouble.

#### Workmen Narrowly Escaped.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., March 15.—The Dowd barrel factory and cooper shop was entirely consumed by fire yesterday. Many men barely escaped with their lives. A number were seriously injured. The loss was $25,000.

#### Cramps Will Get $39,000.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The senate committee on naval affairs authorized a favorable report on the bill remitting $39,000 withheld from Cramp & Sons, builders of the cruiser Vesuvius.

#### Father and Three Children Killed.

DRESDEN, Ont., March 15.—The boiler in Vale's planing mill exploded and killed Adam Cornell, the engineer, and his three children, who chanced to be with him at the time.

#### Western League Baseball.

MILWAUKEE, March 15—The Western league adopted the schedule presented by the committee. The season will open April 25 and will consist of 126 championship games.

#### Louis Alexander,

formerly of Fifth avenue, New York, successor to Emerson, tailor, 65 Central street, has received the latest novelties in foreign and domestic suitings, coatings, and trimmings, for spring wear.

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## DOINGS IN CONGRESS.

### BLAND BILL PRETTY CERTAIN OF PASSAGE TO-DAY.

**Debate Was Finished Yesterday and Statements of Republican Senators Taken Severely to Task.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Chairman Sayers of the appropriation committee is making wonderful progress with the sundry civil bill. Forty pages of the bill were disposed of yesterday, making in all 83 in two days, and only leaving 16 pages more, exclusive of two paragraphs, those relating to the coast and geodetic surveys and the Missouri river commission, which were passed over temporarily. No amendments of importance were adopted. The appropriation for the geological survey, which usually encounters bitter opposition, passed unchallenged.

The test vote which was to be taken on the seigniorage bill, the vote on Mr. Allison's motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed to the third reading, attracted a large attendance. The senate took up the consideration of the bill and Mr. Teller and Mr. George spoke in favor of its passage, the former criticising severely some statements made by Senator Sherman in his recent speech against the bill.

Before Mr George had concluded his remarks the hour of 2 o'clock had arrived, and Mr. Harris insisted upon the vote being then taken on Mr. Allison's motion, with the result that it was defeated by 28 to 45. It is expected that the bill will pass by about the same vote at 2 o'clock today.

Mr. Manderson moved then to commit the bill to the finance committee, and this motion was also defeated, by a vote of 27 to 44.

The other portion of the agreement—that all further debate should be under the five-minute rule—was abrogated, and Mr. George concluded his speech in favor of the bill. He was followed by Mr. Carey, who opposed the bill.

## A GRAVE CRISIS.

#### Parnellites Appeal to Friends For Consultation and Guidance.

LONDON, March 15. — The following manifesto, signed by John E. Redmond, Timothy Harrington and Joseph E. Kennedy, has been issued:

"Fellow countrymen: The solemn words of warning which we recently addressed to you have been justified more speedily than we anticipated. The premier's first official declaration proves the correctness of our judgment in cautioning you to place no blind confidence in him or his cabinet.

"The position of our country is rendered still more perilous by the slavish silence of the majority of the Irish representatives, and their action in parliament today in first voting closure of our criticism of the government policy, and then giving their votes directly in support of the Irish administration and its policy of eviction, house burning, prosecutions and jury packing.

"No crisis so grave has arisen in the history of Ireland since the death of our late chief. We feel it to be our first duty to appeal to you for consultation and guidance. With this in view, we shall summon a national convention to be held in Dublin, on April 3, to organize without delay. We draw no narrow distinction which would exclude men who recognize the national danger and are willing to share in an endeavor to avert it."

#### How Bay State Banks Stand.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Reports from national banks under the recent call have been received as follows: State of Massachusetts (exclusive of Boston), 213 banks; loans and discounts, $101,568,688; lawful money reserve in bank, $6,417,828, of which $2,967,464 was gold; individual deposits, $71,923,721; average reserve held, 29 86 per cent.

#### Philadelphia's Big Fire.

PHILADELPHIA, March 15—The extensive warehouse of Haney & White, dealers in hardware supplies, sash and door blinds, in this city, was entirely destroyed by fire last night. The loss is estimated at about $100,000. The lumber yard of B. F Taylor & Co. was damaged $5000. A stable was partially destroyed.

#### New Jersey Republicans Agree.

NEW YORK, March 15.—The counsel for the Republican senate at Trenton announced to the supreme court that they would agree to the propositions submitted by the court for the presentation of the case so that it could be properly considered, but they reserved the right to appeal from the court's jurisdiction.

#### Cleveland Democrat Wins.

CHARLESTON, March 15.—Returns from the congressional election clearly indicate the election of J. F. Izlar, Cleveland Democrat, over S. W. Stokes, coalition Democrat.

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There are several kinds of Grip. The Grip carried by the travelling man, the Grip given by a secret society man, the Grip of friendship and the Grip which makes you feel miserable all over.

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if allowed to get its Grip on the disease, will settle the question as it always does where there is Pain. The fact is—IT KILLS PAIN. Use as directed for heavy cold and keep the throat wrapped with a cloth wet with the PAIN KILLER.

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We have a good No. 7 Range for $10, and warranted.
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We do all kinds of Furniture and Stove repairing at lowest prices. Get your Furniture repaired now before the busy season commences. All repair work called for and delivered at lowest prices.

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The object is to Strike the Lowest Prices on Record. A dime saved in these days of business depression amounts to more than a dollar earned when business is booming. Save one dime and many dimes at Walsh's Mammoth Market, where prices are 20 per cent. under other dealers.

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We have in stock the finest line of CARRIAGES in the market today. All new goods. Not one of last year's carriages in stock. If you need a carriage this season, it is for your interest to look over our stock and get our prices. When you purchase a Carriage from us you are sure to get the best Carriage in the market for the money. All our Carriages are standard make. Goods that we have sold for years and know that they are first-class. We guarantee perfect satisfaction to every purchaser.

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"Perfect Spring Poems!" Exclaimed a woman.

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Our stock will be complete next week, with the latest novelties in Ladies', Misses' and Children's goods.

As to prices, well, just compare ours with any store in Lowell or Boston and judge for yourselves. Never were such goods so cheap before.

We have made a big cut on every suit and wrapper in stock, to make room for new goods.

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We are very busy on big orders for Boston houses, but save a few for our retail trade, at wholesale prices. We will give you a handsome Serge Suit, lined throughout, with umbrella skirt, at $3.75. Making so many enabled us to work it at bottom figures. AND YOU GET THE BENEFIT.

A handsome, serviceable Flannel Skirt for $1.50. We have an order from a Boston house for 350 of these skirts and make an extra lot for ourselves Our $4 Winter Suits, of which we sold so many, are nearly gone. We will close them out at $2.50, and remember when you buy these goods

Your Money all Comes Back to You,

For you're helping Lowell operatives and your money stays right here. We have other suits, all styles and prices, straight from New York, at hard-time prices.

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35c. 35c. 35c. 35c.

57 doz. Ladies' Fancy Striped and Cherry with Polka Dots—Handsome Shirt Waists, only 35c. each.

49c. 49c. 49c.

45 doz. Ladies' Elegant Sateen Waists, in Blacks, Blues, and Blues with Polka Dots, nobby ruffled fronts with Bishop sleeves, cannot be bought in Lowell for less than 98c. each; our price while they last 49c. each.

25c. 25c.

65 doz. Ladies' Fancy Striped Plaited Shirt Waists, all sizes, 25c. each.

25c.

50 doz. Boys' Blouses and Waists, all new patterns, sizes 4 to 14 years, 25c. each, well worth 39c. each.

We expect a big rush for these bargains this week if you want goods at half price. Now is your time to buy. A chance like this will never occur again. Come everybody. Come early to the biggest bargain store in Lowell,

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ALMANAC FOR THURSDAY, MARCH 16.

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| SUN RISES | 5 56 | MOON SETS | 2 19 AM |
| SUN SETS | 5 51 | FULL SEA | 5 15 AM |
| LENGTH OF DAY | 11 55 | | 5 46 PM |

Forecast for New England: Fair; northwest gales, diminishing.

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## LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Quinn have returned from Minneapolis, Minn.

Gov. Greenhalge was the guest of the Expressmen's league in Boston last night.

Ed. Flanagan of this city, the well known ball player has been signed by Fall River.

Freight business on the railroad is picking up noticeably which is one of the many signs that better times are near at hand.

Rev. F. O. Hall of this city assisted in the marriage of Mr. F. A. Young and Miss Issie S. Brooks, at Fitchburg, yesterday.

Comrade and Rep. W. H. I. Hayes was elected a member of the executive committee of a body of war veterans which dined in Boston yesterday.

At the next regular meeting of Court Merrimack, A. O. F. of A., delegates will be elected to the annual convention which will be held in Lawrence.

A meeting of the executive committee of the democratic city committee will be held this evening at which it is said a meeting of the whole organization will be called.

Have you seen the beautiful display of millinery, etc., at Courville & Tarte's store 131 East Merrimack street? Tomorrow and Saturday occurs the grand opening. Everybody should go and get an idea of the Easter styles.

### The First Street Grounds.

A meeting of those interested in athletics at the Y. M. C. A. gym., will probably be held on Friday evening, to arrange plans for the coming season and to see what can be done to put the First street track into shape for use.

### What "Bill" Said.

In the discussion on women's suffrage in the house yesterday Mr. Hayes of Lowell said the time has now come when it must be decided whether Massachusetts shall be governed as in the past or a complete revolution shall take place.

### Meeting of City Employes.

The city employes will hold a public meeting at 12 Middle street next Monday evening at 8 o'clock to listen to addresses by Messrs. McPadden, Maguire and O'Brien, all of Boston. The meeting is to be under the auspices of Social Assembly, K. of L. Mr. McPadden is master workman of the state.

### Mr. Shaw's Valued Gifts.

Mr. Ralph H. Shaw, son of the late B. F. Shaw, and a poet whose effusion are receiving much favorable comment, here and elsewhere, is the recipient of a pen, penholder and spectacle wiper, which were once used by the gentle Whittier at his home in Amesbury. A relative of Mr. Whittier gave the highly prized mementos to Mr. Shaw. May the articles, prosaic as they are, yet redolent with sweet memories serve as an inspiration to Mr. Shaws' pen in what is sweetest and noblest in verse.

### The Liberal Conference.

At the First Universalist church last evening, the fourth in the series of special conferences of the liberal churches was held. Song service was led by J. Avison Baker. Rev. R. A. Greene read from the scripture, and also offered prayer. Rev. Grindall Reynolds was next introduced by Rev. F. O. Hall and delivered an interesting address. He chose for his text John xiv. 11, the topic for discussion being "True and false treasures."

Rev. Mr. Hall and Rev. Mr. Greene also spoke. The meeting this evening will be held at the Unitarian church.

### The Commission Ordinance.

Here is the substance of the ordinance in Lawrence under which it is proposed to establish a license commission: Section one constitutes a board of three license commissioners, selected from the two principal parties. Section two provides for their appointment by the mayor, immediately after the passage of the ordinance, subject to confirmation by the aldermen, and to hold office until the first day of May, 1895, or until their successors are appointed and confirmed. Section three orders that the board shall organize and elect a chairman from among their number, and the city clerk is to act as clerk of the commission. Section four stipulates that the board shall report its doings to the aldermen, and fixes the salary of the members at $300 yearly.

## CLOSE MILL MEN.

### What a Legislative Committee May Find on Investigation.

There is considerable fun being poked at the members of the committee appointed to canvass the corporations represented in the Manufacturers' association and learn what the members will agree to, says the Fall River Herald. It is a pretty well established fact that some men who have stock in local mills will agree to nothing, much less agree to a long talk with competitors in the business. Some satisfaction can be found in political committees that are sent out to canvass opinions as it oftentimes happens that a bottle of wine and an occasional duck is thrown in.

But among manufacturers there are some men so close that they won't even buy a collar for a dog, much less a cigar for inquiring friends. If there was a prospect of a pleasant chat in all cases, the committeemen would have an easier time ahead of them, but it's known that most treasurers who are to be interviewed haven't even a clay pipe for entertainment.

## SOCIAL AFFAIRS.

The Dazzler Whist club entertained their gentlemen friends, at Miss McAlvin's home, Tuesday evening. Florence H. Addition and Mrs. John F. Cosgrove won first prize; Mrs. Henry J. McAvlin and Miss Carrie J. Leighton second prize; and the consolation went to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gray.

Mrs. G. C. Prince entertained a number of her friends at a whist party last evening. Honors were won by Hon. George A. Marden and Mrs. C. E. Adams.

The Highland Twenty Whist club met with Mr. and Buckland of Westford street, Tuesday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. C. O. Davis and Mrs. L. M. Turner, and the consolation by Mrs. F. L. Bachelder.

Mrs. W. E. Hall of Wilder street entertained the Young Married Ladies' Whist club Tuesday afternoon. The highest scores were made by Mrs. Charles E. Howe and Mrs. Julian Cameron of Westford.

There was a gathering of friends at the house of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Rollins in Centralville, Tuesday evening. Whist was played and the prizes were won by Mrs. I. E. Walton, Mr. George W. Patten and Mr. H. F. Barnes.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 51 MERK ST.

## BAY STATE LEGISLATURE.

### THE LIQUOR TRAFFIC RECEIVES MUCH ATTENTION.

**Woman Suffrage in Municipal Affairs Passed by the House—Other Matters of General Interest.**

BOSTON, March 15.—One of the most important measures that is occupying public attention is one for the establishment of a state commission on license for the purpose of taking the liquor question out of politics.

The committee having charge of this matter gave a public hearing and met to discuss and vote as to whether or not a favorable report should be presented to the legislature. The vote stood five to five, with Mr. Buck absent. It was decided to adjourn until all the member of the committee should be present. In the meantime the Massachusetts Progress club, an organization having branches in 20 cities and towns in the commonwealth, are circulating petitions favoring the commission, and it is expected that fully 150,000 names will be subscribed before the committee meets again.

Women were granted extraordinary privileges by the house. They have now only to capture the senate and then secure the governor's signature to be privileged to vote for mayor, aldermen, councilmen and school committee, and on the question of license at the next municipal elections in the cities of the commonwealth.

The senate judiciary committee reported ought not to pass on the bill requiring the state and cities of over 50,000 population to pay laborers $2 a day for nine hours' work. It was further stipulated that only citizens be employed upon state or municipal work.

Leave to withdraw was reported on the petition of the mayor of Waltham for legislation creating a board of five cemetery commissioners to have charge of the public cemeteries of that city.

An adverse report was made on the bill to increase the salaries of the Boston board of aldermen from $1500 to $1000 annually.

Ought not to pass was reported on the bill establishing the standing as a recognized political party of any party which has or shall for 10 consecutive years cast 1000 or more votes for its candidate for governor; also that any political party which shall increase as rapidly as to poll at least 5 per cent of the total vote for governor before the expiration of 10 years shall be recognized in the same manner.

Adverse reports were made to the house by committees on the following petitions and bills: Petition for legislation requiring conditional sales of personal property to be recorded and protecting the rights of vendee in such sales; petition for an extension of the duties of medical examiners; petition for repeal of existing laws in regard to proceedings before grand juries; petition of the Newburyport Veteran Artillery association to be exempt from jury duty; petition for legislation giving the supreme judicial court authority to determine the ownership of $200,000 worth of bonds in the hands of the state treasurer, deposited by the Cape Cod Ship Canal company and claimed by Quincy A. Shaw; petition that women may be appointed special commissioners; petition that justices and special justices may take acknowledgments of deeds and solemnize marriages; petition to prevent the exhibition of prizefights; bill prohibiting circulation of petitions relating to labor legislation in factories and workshops; bill to compel sleeping car companies to close the upper berth when not sold; bill providing that the tax on the property and franchise of street railway companies shall be received directly by the cities and towns where the railways are operated; bill imposing a tax on legacies and successions.

### Spring Meet at Boston.

BOSTON, March 15.—At the quarterly meeting of the board of officers of the Massachusetts division of the League of American Wheelmen it was voted that the spring meet be held here May 30. Two thousand dollars was appropriated for the publication of a new roadbook and maps. Resolutions were adopted recommending that the League of American Wheelmen hereafter publish its own official organ.

### Operators the Victors.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., March 15.—The striking miners will hold a meeting at Montgomery to declare the strike off, and they will return to work at the reduced prices. The Edgewater, Great Kanawha and Cannelton miners resumed operations yesterday.

### Treasury Figures.

WASHINGTON, March 15. — The cash balance in the treasury at the close of business yesterday was $136,855,957, and the net gold reserve $107,347,476, a gain since Tuesday of $187,892.

### Arbitration Failed.

LAWRENCE, Mass., March 15.—The state board of arbitration has failed to effect a compromise in the Arlington mills difficulty. Agent Redford says the mill will not pay any higher wages at present. The entire mill has shut down, leaving over 2500 employes idle.

### Charged With Stealing Tickets.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., March 15.—John Bloom, a ticket scalper, was bound over for stealing tickets belonging to the Consolidated road. Bloom was in league with Conductor Leahy, who is now serving out a sentence in jail here.

### Sadly Afflicted.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., March 15. — An epidemic of diphtheria has broken out in Portland, and three children of Thomas Hicks have died from the disease. Another child is sick and is not expected to recover.

### Guarding Against Smallpox.

SOUTH NORWALK, Conn., March 15.—The boarding house of John Dennis, where Charles Peterson, the traveling smallpox patient stayed while in this city, has been quarantined by the board of health.

### No Quorum.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—A quorum of the house committee on agriculture failed to appear yesterday, and the consideration of the anti-option bill was therefore postponed.

### Session Will Be Long.

OTTAWA, March 15.—Parliament opened today. The general impression is that the session will be long and arduous.

### Ran Away From Competitors.

CANNES, March 15.—The Prince of Wales' cutter Britannia scored a victory in the race for the Prix de Cannes. The Britannia finished nearly 40 minutes ahead of the Valkyrie, which was second.

### Fourteen Days Overdue.

BROOKLYN, March 15.—The Wilson line steamship Apollo has not been seen or heard of since she left this port for Antwerp on Feb. 11. She is now 14 days overdue.

### Ten Yet to Be Recovered.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., March 15.—The searchers in the Gaylord mine this morning unearthed the body of another victim. There are still at least 10 in the mine.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

A delicious smoke—Old Hundred cigar, T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan Bl'dg.

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Mayor Murray, Aldermen Quigley, Bassett and Newhall, Clerk of Committee Lynch, City Clerk Flinn and Superintendent of Street Jones of Woburn, were in this city yesterday, and after inspecting the new city hall and Memorial building, they were shown the work being done on the sewers. Woburn is contemplating putting in a sewer system, and it is desired to get all possible information before the work is commenced. A sewer commission will have charge of the work in Woburn.

### Governor Morris Explains.

HARTFORD, March 15.—The proclamation of Governor Morris for the observance of Good Friday this year has caused much comment because of a sentence which has been inserted, which reads: "O Jesu Hominum Salvator, with thy gracious light illumine the minds of thy children, who, groping in darkness, are unable to see the truth when it is presented to them." Governor Morris' explanation of the new language in the proclamation is that the present ages are not observing the anniversary properly.

### A Peculiar Freak.

PROVIDENCE, March 15.—The police are greatly mystified by what is probably the work of a crank. During the past week scores of heavy silver door plates have been unscrewed from fashionable residences and carried away. The police were amazed when 19 of the missing plates were found wrapped up in a newspaper and lying on the front steps of station 3 last evening. The plates were uninjured.

### The Peck Murder.

HARTFORD, March 15.—The murder of Robert Peck of West Hartford is still a mystery. Of the nine arrests on suspicion all but seven have been released; the last two arrested in Thompsonville will be held for further examination.

### Probably Written by Anarchists.

MONTREAL, March 15. — Mayor Villeneuve has received several threatening letters promising to blow up the city hall and his private residence with dynamite bombs. The police have the matter in hand.

### The Paterson Strike.

PATERSON, N. J., March 15.—The striking silk workers are confident the employers will concede nearly all demands. The authorities in Paterson are of the same opinion and apprehend no more trouble.

### Workmen Narrowly Escaped.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., March 15.—The Dowd barrel factory and cooper shop was entirely consumed by fire yesterday. Many men barely escaped with their lives. A number were seriously injured. The loss was $25,000.

### Cramps Will Get $39,000.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The senate committee on naval affairs authorized a favorable report on the bill remitting $39,000 withheld from Cramp & Sons, builders of the cruiser Vesuvius.

### Father and Three Children Killed.

DRESDEN, Ont., March 15.—The boiler in Vale's planing mill exploded and killed Adam Cornell, the engineer, and his three children, who chanced to be with him at the time.

### Western League Baseball.

MILWAUKEE, March 15.—The Western league adopted the schedule presented by the committee. The season will open April 25 and will consist of 126 championship games.

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## DOINGS IN CONGRESS.

### BLAND BILL PRETTY CERTAIN OF PASSAGE TO-DAY.

**Debate Was Finished Yesterday and Statements of Republican Senators Taken Severely to Task.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Chairman Sayers of the appropriation committee is making wonderful progress with the sundry civil bill. Forty pages of the bill were disposed of yesterday, making in all 83 in two days, and only leaving 16 pages more, exclusive of two paragraphs, those relating to the coast and geodetic surveys and the Missouri river commission, which were passed over temporarily. No amendments of importance were adopted. The appropriation for the geological survey, which usually encounters bitter opposition, passed unchallenged.

The test vote which was to be taken on the seigniorage bill, the vote on Mr. Allison's motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed to the third reading, attracted a large attendance. The senate took up the consideration of the bill and Mr. Teller and Mr. George spoke in favor of its passage, the former criticising severely some statements made by Senator Sherman in his recent speech against the bill.

Before Mr. George had concluded his remarks the hour of 2 o'clock had arrived, and Mr. Harris insisted upon the vote being then taken on Mr. Allison's motion, with the result that it was defeated by 28 to 45. It is expected that the bill will pass by about the same vote at 2 o'clock today.

Mr. Manderson moved then to commit the bill to the finance committee, and this motion was also defeated, by a vote of 27 to 44.

The other portion of the agreement—that all further debate should be under the five-minute rule—was abrogated, and Mr. George concluded his speech in favor of the bill. He was followed by Mr. Carey, who opposed the bill.

## A GRAVE CRISIS.

### Parnellites Appeal to Friends For Consultation and Guidance.

LONDON, March 15. — The following manifesto, signed by John E. Redmond, Timothy Harrington and Joseph E. Kennedy, has been issued:

"Fellow countrymen: The solemn words of warning which we recently addressed to you have been justified more speedily than we anticipated. The premier's first official declaration proves the correctness of our judgment in cautioning you to place no blind confidence in him or his cabinet.

"The position of our country is rendered still more perilous by the slavish silence of the majority of the Irish representatives, and their action in parliament today in first voting closure of our criticism of the government policy, and then giving their votes directly in support of the Irish administration and its policy of eviction, house burning, prosecutions and jury packing.

"No crisis so grave has arisen in the history of Ireland since the death of our late chief. We feel it to be our first duty to appeal to you for consultation and guidance. With this in view, we shall summon a national convention to be held in Dublin, on April 3, to organize without delay. We draw no narrow distinction which would exclude men who recognize the national danger and are willing to share in an endeavor to avert it."

### How Bay State Banks Stand.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Reports from national banks under the recent call have been received as follows: State of Massachusetts (exclusive of Boston), 213 banks; loans and discounts, $101,568,688; lawful money reserve in bank, $6,417,836, of which $2,007,404 was gold; individual deposits, $71,923,721; average reserve held, 29.86 per cent.

### Philadelphia's Big Fire.

PHILADELPHIA, March 15.—The extensive warehouse of Haney & White, dealers in hardware supplies, sash and door blinds, in this city, was entirely destroyed by fire last night. The loss is estimated at about $100,000. The lumber yard of B. F. Taylor & Co. was damaged $5000. A stable was partially destroyed.

### New Jersey Republicans Agree.

NEW YORK, March 15.—The counsel for the Republican senate at Trenton announced to the supreme court that they would agree to the propositions submitted by the court for the presentation of the case so that it could be properly considered, but they reserved the right to appeal from the court's jurisdiction.

### Cleveland Democrat Wins.

CHARLESTON, March 15.—Returns from the congressional election clearly indicate the election of J. E. Izlar, Cleveland Democrat, over S. W. Stokes, coalition Democrat.

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49c. 49c. 49c.

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25c. 25c.

65 doz. Ladies' Fancy Striped Plaited Shirt Waists, all sizes, 25c. each.

25c.

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☞ THE SUN is the only penny paper in Lowell receiving cable and telegraphic despatches. Most of the news items in this issue can be found in the other local papers tomorrow, if you are willing to wait till then.

### SEIGNORAGE BILL.

**Passed the Senate This Afternoon by Seven Votes.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The senate passed the seignorage bill this afternoon, 44 to 31.

### SISTERS OF CHARITY

**Will Give Up Teaching in Pittsburg Public Schools.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 15.—The sisters of charity who have been employed as teachers in the 34th ward public school gave up the fight last night and retired. Today they will take their places in the old parochial school connected with St. James' church.

**Gov. Brown Renominated.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 15.—Gov. Brown was renominated by the republicans in convention today.

**Lord Aberdeen Spoke.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

LONDON, March 15.—Parliament assembled today and the only feature was a long and vigorous speech by Lord Aberdeen.

### OUR THEATRES.

MUSIC HALL.—After four highly successful and well attended performances of "A Dark Secret," the management of this theatre announces a new drama for tonight and the remainder of the week including a matinee on St. Patrick's Day, "The Two Wanderers." It is a drama of vivid interest from start to finish. Tomorrow evening, patrons will receive a photograph of Mr. Thomas. Get your tickets early for the matinee.

OPERA HOUSE.—A fair sized matinee and a big evening audiences greeted Sol Smith Russell's excellent company, yesterday. The occasions were notable ones, theatrically speaking, for Mr. Russell has always been a great favorite with Lowell patrons. "A Poor Relation," the matinee attraction, is very familiar, but it was as finely played as ever. The company is an excellent one, but as everybody knows, it is Mr. Russell who shines most conspicuously. Without him "A Poor Relation" and his latest success played in the evening, "April Weather," would be impossibilities. Of "April Weather" it may be said that it is one of the class of plays so well fitted to Mr. Russell's peculiar talents. In fact, it is even more touching than others; it is so homely that an audience is constantly in an April armosphere of tears and smiles. Mr. Russell's company in this instance was remarkably fine.

The opera "Venus" tomorrow and Saturday, needs no introduction, for its previous visit was signalized by two big audiences. Secure tickets for Saturday's matinee early.

### FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral of Thomas Ferguson took place this morning from his late home, 31 Abbott street. The funeral cortege moved from the home to St. Peter's church, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. McManus. The church was crowded with friends and relatives of the deceased. The remains enclosed in a black broadcloth casket rested on a catafalque in the centre aisle of the church. Two large floral pillows, one inscribed "Husband," the other "Big 12," were placed on top of the casket. The choir under the direction of T. F. Molloy rendered Schimdt's requiem mass, and Miss Josephine Reardon presided at the organ. Miss Cook sang the "Pie Jesu," at the offertory. At the conclusion of the mass, Mr. T. F. Molloy effectively rendered "No Cross, No Crown." The funeral cortege which was a very large one, was then reformed and proceeded to the Catholic cemetery, where the interment took place. The bearers were Messrs. Hugh Mellen, Arthur Heald, John Neylon, Robert Crowley, D. Cahill and Elsie Herrick. The ushers at the house and church were Messrs. Patrick Cullen, Thomas Jones, Thomas Burns and Philip Callahan

At 8.30 o'clock this morning a solemn high mass of requiem was offered up for repose of the soul of Damien Neven. Rev. Fr. Lamothe, O. M. I., was the celebrant, Rev. Fr. Campeau, O. M. I., deacon, and Rev. Fr. Feat, O. M. I., sub-deacon. The regular choir of the church under the direction of A. M. Duval assisted at the services. L'Union St. Joseph attended the services in a body and afterwards escorted the remains to the grave in the Edson cemetery. The bearers were Messrs. Napoleon Souci, A. Robarge, Joseph Duval, G. Turcotte, C. Fortier, and N. Boucher.

### POLICE COURT.

**Hadley, J.**

There were five drunks in court this morning.

Catherine Parmenter, who has been in for drunkeness, three times of late, was found guilty and sentenced to jail for 8 months.

Frank E. Carey, pleaded guilty to the charge of assault and battery on his wife Delia. The latter who was accompanied by two children, one about three years of age and the other a very small baby, alleged that her husband threw her down and kicked her in the chest. The husband said that he merely pushed her away from him. The court sentenced him to jail for four months and he appealed.

A. N. Stevens was summoned into court as defendant in a case of unlawfully concealing mortgaged property. The complainant is W. E. Potter. The case was continued.

**The Story of Easter.**

Every woman in Lowell is looking forward to Easter Sunday. It will be the day to bring out the new spring cloak and gown. Just what she will wear is not decided but hundreds are finding just what they want at the Beaver Cloak company's store, 51 Merrimack street. Such a fine array of spring suits for out-doors and indoors, and spring capes, cloaks and other wraps, all in new and handsome spring patterns, and in light and fetching new spring styles, it is given to the women of few cities to see.

**First March "Roarer."**

Yesterday was the first really disagreeable day of the month, and the wind last night was of the keenness which makes the month so distressing to people of delicate health.

## NO LICENSE COMMISSION.

### LAWRENCE ALDERMEN FAIL TO PASS THE ORDINANCE.

**Meeting Was One of the Liveliest of the Year—What the Aldermen Said in Opposition to a Commission.**

LAWRENCE, March 15.—The board of mayor and aldermen held one of the liveliest meetings last night that had taken place for some time.

Mayor Rotter's proposed ordinance for the appointment of a liquor license commission was the subject discussed, and some racy remarks were made during this session.

One alderman openly said that he desired to take part in the granting of the licenses.

Alderman Dow desired to postpone action in the matter until the legislature had acted on the proposed license bills now pending.

The mayor stated that it was his impression that if the aldermen wanted a commission they would have to create it themselves.

He could not see any reason why the aldermen should await the action of the legislature.

At the last meeting the mayor had agreed to let the aldermen name one member of the commission, he another, and let these two men select the third.

However, he would not agree to nominate the first man whom the aldermen might choose.

At the meeting Alderman Bruckman thought that the mayor might refuse to nominate 25 men whom the aldermen should name.

Alderman Ellis objected to placing the power of nomination in one man's hands. Then the mayor recalled his previous statement and agreed to nominate the aldermen's first selection.

This concession did not have the desired effect.

Alderman Bruckman said that the republicans had a good working majority in the board of aldermen and if the commission was chosen he thought that this working majority would be surrendered.

"It looks to me," he continued, "as if this ordinance was only brought up because of this majority.

"If the board had been democratic it would not have been introduced."

"Then you propose to grant licenses on political lines?" queried his honor.

"Mr. Mayor," said the alderman, we are all elected on political lines, and whether we acknowledge it or not, we act on political lines. That has been evident from the first of January, even in the case of the chief magistrate. It is an old saying that rum and hypocrisy play a prominent part in politics."

Alderman Kittredge said he desired to grant the licenses, and already he had had "lots" of applicants to see him.

The mayor caustically inquired if he had promised any of them licenses.

The alderman said he had not.

The ordinance was finally laid on the table pending the action of the legislature.

### LOCAL NOTES.

Carpenters are making repairs at the Torrent engine house.

The new Northern depot will not be thrown open to the public until warm weather.

A great reduction has been made in the price of carpets at the assignee sale of Manning & Leighton.

The hearing on the petition for a bridge across Moody street will be held at 7.30 o'clock this evening.

The Ladies Benevolent society of the Highland M. E. church held a social and supper in the church vestry last evening. A very enjoyable entertainment was given during the evening.

The John street Y. P. S. C. has elected these officers: President, Miss May Bancroft; vice president, Miss Mary Snow; secretary, Miss Elizabeth Blandin; treasurer, Miss Grace Fuller.

The Sunshine Social club held a social session last evening, at the residence of E. H. Winters, corner of Sargent and Clare streets. One new member was admitted and there were five applications.

In the vestry of St. Paul's church last evening a very pleasant concert was enjoyed by a large attendance. The arrangements for it were in charge of the flower committee of which Miss Annie Mosher is chairman.

At the Y. M. C. A. rooms last evening, the fourth of the series of practical talks was given by Rev. Willis D. Leland of the Pawtucket church. His subject was "The Glacial or Ice Period," and was very interesting.

At the First Congregational church last evening, the Brotherhood of Andrew and Philip, met and discussed the question of the unemployed, and the cause leading to the distress now existing among the people. Various reasons were assigned, and arguments of every description used to account for the existing condition of affairs.

The contest for the Pickering prizes in elocution will take place in the Tewksbury high school Saturday afternoon. The participants will be Mary Day, Mary A. Collins, Stella F. Morrill, Olive M. Haines, Maggie Keating, Ada Littlefield, Josephine Manley, Maud McRae, Mabel M. Parsons, Sadie Pike, Hypatia Silk, Minnie Twiss, Clinton Wright, Frank Harrington, Adolph B. Moore and Daniel Scott.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Eliot church held a novel entertainment in the vestry last evening. Supper was served from 6 to 8 o'clock by the young ladies of the society. The next feature was the presentation of a seven scene dialogue entitled: "Out in the Streets" by the young people of the society. The entertainment will be repeated this evening.

Allan Frazer, the fancy goods dealer in the Odd Fellows' block on Middlesex street, has a large and most complete line of goods, at prices which cannot be undersold. His store is very handy to those living in the southerly and westerly part of the city, and you are sure of getting just what you want in small wares. He is running on stationary and envelopes today. Do not forget the store, in the Odd Fellows' block.

The regular monthly sociable of the Ladies' society of the Chelmsford street church was held in the vestry Wednesday evening and was largely attended. Supper was served early in the evening, Mrs. E. R. Clark having general supervision. Following this a number of vocal solos were finely rendered by Mrs. E. G. Russell, violin obligato by Mrs. Harrington, and with Miss Minnie Lockhart, accompanist. The entertainment concluded with a lecture on Rip Van Winkles.

The parishioners of Rev. Dr. Court's church, the First Presbyterian, held a very enjoyable social, last evening, with a novel entertainment consisting besides singing and music, a wand drill by these young ladies, under direction of Sergt. Rodgers of the Cadets: Maude Myers, Annie Woodside, Affie Apiller, Florence Flemings, Lena Myers, Ella Morse, Kittie Jackson, Ima Clarke, Dolly Barnard, Blanche Ferguson, Agnes MacDonald and Winona Day. After the entertainment ice cream and cake were served.

## ADVISES AN AGREEMENT.

**Words From the Navy Yard Relative to the Strike There.**

The following letter which will no doubt interest a great many, has been received by THE SUN from a gentleman who is interested in the labor difficulty at the Navy Yard.

Editor of THE SUN:

Dear Sir—It is not my intention of writing an essay on strikes; neither do I wish to say anything which may tend to injure or prejudice the cause of the people who are now contending with their employer at the Navy Yard mills, for what they consider and believe is justice and right. But as one who generally takes an interest in the cause of labor and somewhat personally interested in the outcome of the above strike, I could not desist from taking a survey of the situation in order to see whether there was sufficient justification for the course adopted by the Navy Yard help, and whether it is to the best interests of the people affected thereby.

Strikes are poor weapons to use at the best of times, in the warfare between capital and labor, and consequently should not be resorted to without strong and sufficient reasons. It is doubtful if in the past they have been instrumental to any appreciable extent in the advancement of the cause of the wage-earner; this much we do know that wherever and whenever they have been tried they have caused great suffering and misery, not only to the strikers themselves, but to all those dependent upon them. "Strikes paralyze industries, and long after they are at an end, their evil effects remain." Too often the disastrous consequences of strikes are not considered as they should be by the leaders of labor, many of whom are inexperienced and irresponsible. The excitement of the moment in deciding to strike soon passes away, and the grim monster of being out of work with store bills running up and no pay to expect, begins to stare the poor worker in the face, and continues to haunt him by day and by night until he begins to think and to feel that life, such as that is, is not very much worth living, and that strikes after all are not so good as they are cracked up to be.

However, without arguing further on the merits or demerits of strikes, upon the question of justification or necessity of the Merrimack strike, would it not be better under the circumstances and conditions of the times to try and come to some honorable settlement with Mr. Fels to terminate as speedy as possible the present unfortunate state of affairs? Even if they did have to come down and accept the reduction would it not be best for the time being, when the clouds in the industrial horizon are so dark and depressing, and the business of the country in such a gloomy and discouraging state? We have seen it said "in the choice of evils, choose the least." "half a loaf is better than none." &c., are these not times that such philosophy could be acted upon to advantage?

The reductions of wages in the woolen industries are generally along the line; the Navy Yard is not the exception; even our Congressman Stevens is in the procession, the "largest woolen manufacturer in the world" and was supposed to know it all, still he has cut down the pay in order to make it possible to run. I do not wish to be looked upon as an advocate of the capitalist—as heaven knows they are not in need of my services—still every reasonable thinking person knows that in order to run a business successfully, capital expects some return, but whether it is at all times satisfied with that which is right I will not for a moment admit, for as a class they are grasping, avaricious, and soulless—caring but little for the rights and well being of those who are essential to the making of wealth. Nevertheless, there are times, such as the present, when it is politic and to the best interest of labor to submit to the demands, unreasonable as they may seem, until a more prosperous time and a more convenient season.

In one respect Mr. Bachman is to be commended; he is no respecter of persons, as we understand the reduction is a general one commencing at the top. Hoping that some means will be found to bring the trouble to an end so soon as possible as sooner is better than latter, is the wish of

Yours Respectfully

AN ONLOOKER,
Navy Yard.

### ORDER OF ÆGIS.

**Judge Allen Orders the Receiver to Make Payments of Claimants.**

Judge Allen yesterday in the Supreme court entered a decree on the third report of receiver Alfred Hemenway of the order Ægis, ordering of a distribution of the assets to the certificate holders thereunto entitled.

On Feb. 1 last, the time of filing this report, the assets amounted to $219,510.13, of which $47,000 was composed of unpaid mortgages which are not yet due.

The amount of claims against the reserve fund, class 1, is $293,681, and the number of claimants 6293. The amount of claims proved against the relief fund of class 2 is $7680.06, and the number of claimants 1052.

In this last named class a final dividend of 20 per cent. is ordered, payable on and after April 16 next, and in class one a partial dividend of 50 per cent payable at the same time.

### HAIL GLORIOUS APOSTLE!

**How St. Patrick's Day Will be Celebrated in This City.**

The feast of St. Patrick will be observed Saturday at St. Patrick's church with appropriate ceremony.

Solemn high mass will be celebrated at 10.30 and the various societies connected with the church will march to the edifice in a body. The members of the city government will attend and they will be escorted to the hall by St. Patrick's Cadet band. The various Hibernian lodges will also attend.

On Saturday evening the Hibernians will have a banquet, at which Mr. Joseph Smith of this city will make the principal address.

The Alpine Social club will observe the day with a banquet and sociable in Runels' hall.

The Mathew Temperance institute will present the drama "Shamrock and Rose," in Huntington hall, Saturday evening.

On Saturday evening the Ladies' auxiliary of the Burke Temperance institute, will hold an apron and necktie party at the hall, and the members of the institute are co-operating in the arrangements as much as possible.

**State Convention of Foresters.**

There will be a state convention of Foresters in Lawrence, May 22, at which the Lowell courts will be represented. Delegates will be elected in the local courts as follows: Court Wamesit tonight, Courts Champlain and Butler on Tuesday next, City of Lowell next Wednesday, Court Gen. Shields next Thursday, Court Columbus, Friday, March 23; Court Middlesex, March 28; Court Merrimack, March 29.

**Dr. Weeks Sentenced.**

Dr. N. J. Weeks, who was held for the grand jury by Judge Hadley on Tuesday, for larceny, was sentenced to one year imprisonment for a similar, or less grievous complaint, in the Jamaica Plains court yesterday.

## THE WOOLEN MILLS.

### WILL TAKE A BRACE WITH THE REVISED TARIFF.

**Already There is a Disposition to Increase the Production to Prepare for the Good Times, Which Are Surely Coming.**

The publication of the revised woolen schedule of the new tariff bill will create some enthusiasm among those manufacturers who have either shut down entirely or are operating just enough of their machinery to enable them to hold their place in the market. Some of these mills have orders for goods, and will start up unless it does not appear probable that there will be any subsequent demand to keep the machinery in operation after the small quantity of goods called for is turned off.

A representative of a large Massachusetts mill seen yesterday, on being told that the bill, as decided upon by the subcommittee of the finance committee, provided for a reduction of 5 per cent. on the ad valorem duties of woolen and worsted cloths, blankets, dress goods, etc., of the bill as it left the lower house, said, in effect that this circumstance would, without doubt, decide the officials of his mill, who have been discussing the advisability of turning out more goods, not to do so. Others talked in the same way, and while most of the manufacturers have been little disposed to make any more goods than were absolutely engaged, they feel even less willing to do so now, "that the manifest disposition of the senate committee is shown to be even more antagonistic to their industry than was the house."

Some mills have planned to start up next week on orders, hoping to receive duplicate orders enough to keep their machinery running, but they may be depended upon to stop very soon if these latter do not materialize. The exception to the rule in woolen manufacturing now is the satinet mills which are generally busy, not supplying a demand, however, but, like some of the cotton mills, piling up goods in immense quantities. How long this will continue remains to be seen, but conservative manufacturers who have refrained from accumulating a surplus express themselves satisfied now with the large bare condition of their warehouses as against the large surplus that is being carried by their neighbors.

### SEEN AND HEARD.

The following letter may be of interest to THE SUN readers: The Industrial Aid society of Boston is an organization which was instituted in 1837, and whose main object is the placing of men and women of Boston who are out of work, in positions which shall make them self supporting. This it does without charge to either employers or employed. It is making special effort at this time to place its applicants, which, owing to the great depression of business, are unusually numerous this season. They consist of men and women of all nationalities, and come from parts of this country and the world; among them are farmers, mechanics, mill hands, laborers of all kinds, men for indoor work, porters, etc., etc., women for house work and laundry.

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Three popular young men of Ward Five were the victims of a practical joke a few evenings ago, according to rumor, and as a result are at present looking for some one with a gun. It appears that three young men who are quite "chummy" are rather sweet on three belles of the Highlands, three sisters, and each was uncertain as to how his affection was received. Some of their friends caught on to these little affairs, and the result was that a few days ago each of the three received a neat little note delicately perfumed purporting to come from the object of his affections stating that she would pass a certain corner of School and Broadway on the next evening at a certain time.

Each was in raptures over the note, of course, being totally ignorant of the fact that the other two had also received letters and when the evening in question came around, the young men came also. The first to come was a trifle early, and as he waited under the gaslight, he was amazed to see one of his friends, the second to receive the note coming along. He got behind a fence, it is said, to avoid a meeting and an explanation, and in a short time was chagrined to note the arrival of still another friend, the two standing on the corner. The first young man finally joined his friends, and the three told each other of the letters, and waited, and waited. The young ladies knew nothing of the affair until the next day when some one informed them, and those three young men have blood in their eyes.

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Another good joke is told, at the expense of a party of ward one men who started out for Tewksbury yesterday afternoon. They were going hunting and anticipated a fine time. They boarded a train and were at No. Billerica before they discovered that their train did not go near Tewksbury. Then they got off and inquired what time the next train left for Lowell, and were told, "in an hour." Said one, "I am not going to hang around here for an hour," so they started to walk the track to the city. They had gone some little distance when a small boy informed them that the electric cars had been running between No. Billerica and Lowell for the past year. Sure enough they had forgotten the fact, and retraced their steps to No. Billerica and arrived at the terminus of the route in time to see a car that had just left for the city. Another wait, they finally got a car and came home.

**About New York Schools.**

NEW YORK, March 14—During his visit up the Hudson, the Ablegate Satolli has inspected schools that are run on the Faribault plan. These are in Poughkeepsie and are under the jurisdiction of the board of education. The courts have decided that Catholic instruction in schools supported by public taxation is legal, though the arrangement does not meet the sanction of Archbishop Corrigan. The differences between the archbishop and the ablegate on this question are as striking as ever, but it is a mistake to suppose that the difference of opinion amounts to a personal antagonism. Archbishop Corrigan is said to have accompanied Satolli in a visit to the schools.

**Anniversary Observances.**

It is understood that there will be no elaborate celebration of St. John's day by the French people of the city this year. Many favored observing St. John's day and the 25th anniversary of the organization of St. Jean Baptiste society at the same time. Owing to the hard times, however, and the amount of money required for such an occasion, many of the French people favor postponing the celebration until the new St. Jean Baptiste church is completed and dedicated.

**Lowell People Were There.**

The National Lancers of Roxbury held a brilliant levee last night. Among the guests were Col. and Mrs. J. W. Bennett and Capt. E. H. Shaw. Mrs. Bennett wore a white satin gown, embroidered front, white chiffon and pearl trimmings. Gov. Greenhalge and staff were also there.

## BOWLERS ARE ACTIVE.

### JUNIOR MISERABLES PUSH THE SCORES UP NEAR 2500.

**Team Captains Hustling to Strengthen Their Teams in Order to Keep in the Race for the Reserved Positions in the List.**

Before the city tournament began, the Pastime club bowlers were around shaking a feather duster to indicate that they were out looking for blood. In friendly contests from time to time the club men had developed as remarkable bowlers, in fact as a rule the principal bowlers were much better than the average of bowlers on Les Miserables alleys.

But pride goeth before a fall apparently for both teams failed to come up to the required strength last night in their contests with other teams. But their scores were not to be sneezed at by any means, and for a starter they have every chance to fulfill their ante-tournament statements.

Team I ran smack against the junior Miserables team, and it was like running into a break water. As a matter of fact the Miserables proved surprisingly strong taking a good fall out of the score of the City Hall team of the night before. The team total of 2478 sets a pace, and a very fast one too. Then Pastimes were defeated by 227 pins. The scores of this game were as follows:

| MISERABLES NO. 2. | | PASTIMES NO. 1. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| J. D Donohoe | 517 | O Brown | 530 |
| D. Donohoe | 499 | Young | 433 |
| H. Farrell | 483 | Bond | 409 |
| W. Kelley | 480 | Wilson | 436 |
| G. Kelley | 499 | Campbell | 429 |
| Total | 2478 | Total | 2237 |

It will be noticed by the above score that Brown's was the highest with single strings of 185-172-173. The highest single string was 193 by D. Donohoe. The string totals of the Miserables were 819, 830, 820.

The second game was a close one, with lower scores. It was between the Underwriters and Pastimes No. 2, and the latter team got the highest string total 785, and Willett the highest single string 190, and highest total 539. The Underwriters score was much lower than they had expected. The totals were as follows:

| UNDERWRITERS. | | PASTIMES NO. 2. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| J B Swift | 492 | Leonard | 446 |
| Paulint | 430 | Russell | 437 |
| Keves | 442 | Hounsell | 412 |
| Kerwin | 469 | Willett | 539 |
| Peabody | 456 | Reynolds | 495 |
| Total | 2289 | Total | 2279 |

The Bankers vs. Baker's, Police vs. Lowells, tonight. The four teams play their second game of the week.

The crowds around the players indicate the live interest in the tournament.

Leonard of the Pastimes is said to be a dark horse for a top position.

Already there is a great hustle to strengthen teams. All the bowlers of any reputation will be pulled into the contest.

### DEATHS.

George S. Austin, for a number of years superintendent for Davis & Sargent of Lowell of their drives of logs down the Merrimack river, died at Thornton, N. H., Tuesday, of pneumonia, aged 36 years. He was well known among lumber dealers. His home was in Webster.

Thomas Wood, aged 1 year and 11 months, child of Patrick and Mary Wood, died this morning at their home, 110 Rock street.

Ann Montgomery, aged 52 years, died last night at her home, 475 Lawrence street. The funeral will take place Saturday afternoon.

Patrick Shea, aged 61 years, died last night at his home, 7 Clarke street. The funeral will take place from St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

The many friends of Charles Heslin will be pained to hear of the death of his wife, at her parents' home in Townsend, Mass. The funeral will occur from the Northern depot tomorrow at 2.30 p. m. Friends and relatives invited without further notice.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts.

### PERSONAL.

Albert Pelletier has engaged in newspaper work again, on the staff of L'Etoile.

Mr. C. A. Daoust is engaged in translating and editing French publications for C. I. Hood & Co.

Miss Lizzie Anderson has gone to Brookline to spend a few weeks.

Frank J. Brady of this city has returned from an extended tour in the west.

T. C. Entwistle of this city and Robert Ruddy of Worcester are making a trip through Florida.

**The Governor's Special Pen.**

Gov. Greenhalge will sign the bill to abolish Fast day with a magnificent pen prepared for the occasion, an enormous tail feather plucked from an American eagle. It was brought up to the state house by a citizen of Lexington, and is to be gold mounted and placed among the curiosities in the historical museum of the Lexington town hall, where it will be forever preserved as a reminder of the governor who made a law the measure establishing as a holiday throughout the Commonwealth the anniversary of the famous fight on the green hard by.

**Mounted Police Force.**

The idea of equipping the local police department with three mounted officers is not a new one and has been advanced on divers occasions, is stirring up Fall River. In the opinion of many citizens, it is worthy of serious consideration.

**St. Patrick's Day Services.**

The mass at St. Patrick's church next Saturday, St. Patrick's day, will commence at 10 o'clock a. m.

The city government and heads of the various departments will attend the services. Div. 8, A. O. H., St. Patrick's Cadets and St. Patrick's Cadet band will also occupy seats in the church upon the invitation of the pastor, Rev. Michael O'Brien.

Solemn high mass will be celebrated, and a grand musical program has been arranged. In the evening services will also be held. The panegyric will be delivered at the morning service.

**A Fine Concert Program.**

An excellent entertainment is to be given in the hall of the Immaculate Conception school this evening. It was intended for St. Patrick's night, but for convenience will be produced tonight. It will be a concert of Irish airs by some of the leading singers of the city with a number of appropriate recitations, instrumental solos and other features added. The program contains many of the most celebrated gems of Irish song and they will be rendered by David P. Martin, Miss Ewing, Miss McCaffrey and other well known favorites.

**Marriage Intentions.**

The following intentions were recorded at the city clerk's office to-day:

Brunswick Brown, 38, Boston, to Mary Birmingham, 37.
Patrick Rogers, 20, to Susan Welch, 22.
William H. White, 20, to Georgina Boucher, 22.

# LATEST

## ARBITRATION FAILS.

### STATE BOARD WAS UNABLE TO DO ANYTHING YESTERDAY.

**Lawrence Labor Troubles Becoming More Complex in Consequence—Strikers are Very Confident That They Will Win.**

LAWRENCE, March 15.—When Messrs. Walcott and Warner, state board of arbitration, left yesterday afternoon, after their conference with the Arlington mill's strikers and Agent Redford, it was with the expectation that a settlement would be forthcoming.

Today, however, it seems to be as far distant as ever in consequence of the refusal of Agent Redford to agree to leave the wages to the board.

After hearing the strikers' end of the case, the board went to the Arlington mills and held a conference with Agent Redford.

No agreement was reached, however. A proposition was made that the strikers return to work, and allow the board to fix the wages. The executive committee was to report the matter to the strikers for their decision.

This the committee did yesterday afternoon at a meeting in Hamlin's hall, and it was decided to return to work tomorrow.

This morning a committee from the strikers waited upon Agent Redford to have him sign the following document, which representatives of the strikers were also to sign, and have presented to the State Board of Arbitration:

"In last September the employees of the dyeing and finishing departments of the Arlington mills at Lawrence were reduced 10 per cent in their pay. Now we respectfully ask the assistance of your honorable body in restoring us the same, if possible, as we, the employees, and said corporation are willing to abide by your decision, should your honorable board to see fit to grant us the 10 per cent or any part thereof, the same to take effect from the day we resume work, viz., Thursday, March 15."

Agent Redford refused to sign the document.

The representatives of the strikers claim that Redford stated he would leave the wages to the board on condition that the latter would take the wages paid in the lower Pacific mill as a standard.

Agent Redford further said, as the strikers claim, that should the matter be left to the state board he would only furnish such figures as he saw fit.

The strikers met this morning, and upon learning the stand taken by Agent Redford, were more determined than ever to remain out. Their refusal to work means that about three thousand operatives of other departments which were shut down Monday will continue to suffer enforced idleness.

### CHURCH OF MADELEINE.

**Badly Damaged by the Explosion of a Bomb Today.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

PARIS March 15.—A bomb was exploded in the Church of the Madeleine this morning, damaging the edifice. One man killed and many injured.

[The Madeleine is the famous church on the boulevard of the same name, and to it all tourists to Paris pay a pilgrimage.—ED.]

### STREET CAR MEN

**Strike in New York on Account of Cut Wages.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

NEW YORK, March 15.—The entire street railway system from Hunter's Point to Steinway avenue, is tied up today, owing to a strike of the railway men. They have had their wages cut.

**The Strike Aspect.**

The strike at the Navy Yard appears to be unchanged. It is stated that Saturday a notice will be posted announcing that the mill will start as usual on Monday.

The operatives received their pay this afternoon.

**Sail the Ocean Blue.**

Mrs. Margaret Dolan, Mr. Brian King and Mrs. Mary King, sailed yesterday on the Brittanic of the White Star line for the old country.

The Ethiopa of the Anchor line will sail tomorrow from New York for Glasgow, and the Umbria will sail Saturday, for Liverpool. Messrs. John Carney and Richard Carty will take passage on the former and Messrs. Oliver and Thomas Wood on the latter. They were all booked through Murphy's agency.

**Immaculate Conception Church Services.**

The Lenten services at the church of the Immaculate Conception last evening were attended by a large congregation. An eloquent sermon on the subject "Sacramental Confession" was preached by Rev. D. M. Burns, O. M. I.

The feast of St. Patrick will be observed at the Immaculate Conception church, Saturday with special services. The masses will be at 5.15, 6.30 and a solemn high mass at 9 o'clock at which a panegyric on St Patrick will be delivered.

On Sunday morning next, Palm Sunday, the blessing of the palms will take place at 10 30 o'clock when a solemn high mass will be celebrated. A procession through the church will take place during mass.

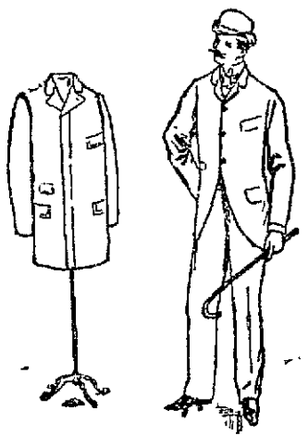
**Arrested for Alleged Larceny.**

Harry Percival, aged 32 years, a resident of this city, was arrested this morning by Inspectors Ladamme and Allen on a warrant charging him with breaking and entering the house at 42 High street and larceny therefrom of a monkey fur cape and 12 yards of silk, the property of Margaret McCarthy.

**Bids Wanted for $100,000.**

The finance committee met yesterday afternoon and authorized Treasurer Chadwick to call for bids on $100,000 maturing in 1904. This is the last of $1,000,000 worth of water works bonds.


Our Store Will Be Open Friday Nights Until Further Notice.



We have received from Rogers, Peet & Co. several new lots of Spring Overcoats and Covert Coats. These, in addition to those of our own make, enable us to display twenty-five fresh styles of Top Coats for spring, all of fashionable length, of proper materials, and rightly tailored. Some are lined with silk. Prices $3 to $28.

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### THE UNION PACIFIC'S PRESENT AND PAST DIRECTORS.

**Alleged Violation of Trust by Officials—The Heirs of Past Directors Involved in the Muddle.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—One of the most important propositions yet submitted to congress was presented to the house, when it assembled today, by Representative Boatner of Louisiana, a leading member of the committee on judiciary.

The proposition, as Representative Boatner has drafted, recites with explicit detail numerous defaults of the Union Pacific railroad and contiguous lines to meet the debt due the United States. It charges the present directors of the road, and those of past boards of directors, with a violation of their trust, an improper absorption of outside lines and the voting of dividends contrary to law and against the interests of the United States.

In conclusion directs, in the form of a joint resolution, that the president shall appoint special counsel to institute suit against the present and past directors, their heirs and legal representatives, to collect $35,000,000 and interest due the United States. With interest the amount of litigation would exceed $40,000,000. It would be the largest lawsuit ever instituted in this country, if not the largest in any country.

**Recommends $100,000 for Counsel.**

By the terms of the resolution, the department of justice would be relieved from further action in the Union Pacific cases, and the suit would be prosecuted by special counsel as a special case. The joint resolution places $100 000 at the disposal of the president for the employment of counsel It is provided that the counsel shall not be in any way connected in present or past service with the Union Pacific road or with any of the directors.

**Will Fight It Out.**

PITTSBURG, March 15—Notwithstanding the central board of education declared against persons teaching in public schools in the garb of a religious order, and the application for an injunction restraining the Riverside school board from employing such persons, the directors will retain the five nuns now teaching in that school until the question is finally settled by the courts.

**And It Still Grows.**

The Church league fund now amounts to $3078.90. Recent contributions were those of $8.50 from the First Baptist, $25 from Branch street church, and $4 additional from the Kirk street church.

**Attention Hibernians.**

The different branches of the Hibernians will attend services at St. Patrick's church Saturday morning. Members are requested to meet at their hall at 9 o'clock promptly.

**Fifteen Cents**

Buys a jumbo cup and saucer, handsomely decorated, regular price 25c, or given with a pound of tea. The U. S. Tea Co., corner Central and Prescott streets.

**Married.**

William H. White and Georgiana Boucher were married this afternoon at the parsonage of the Rev. Joseph H. Paradis.


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☞THE SUN is the only penny paper in Lowell receiving cable and telegraphic despatches. Most of the news items in this issue can be found in the other local papers tomorrow, if you are willing to wait till then.

### SEIGNORAGE BILL.

**Passed the Senate This Afternoon by Seven Votes.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The senate passed the seignorage bill this afternoon, 44 to 31.

### SISTERS OF CHARITY

**Will Give Up Teaching in Pittsburg Public Schools.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 15.—The sisters of charity who have been employed as teachers in the 34th ward public school gave up the fight last night and retired. Today they will take their places in the old parochial school connected with St. James' church.

**Gov. Brown Renominated.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 15.—Gov. Brown was renominated by the republicans in convention today.

☞ **Lord Aberdeen Spoke.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

LONDON, March 15.—Parliament assembled today and the only feature was a long and vigorous speech by Lord Aberdeen.

### OUR THEATRES.

MUSIC HALL.—After four highly successful and well attended performances of "A Dark Secret," the management of this theatre announces a new drama for tonight and the remainder of the week including a matinee on St. Patrick's Day," "The Two Wanderers." It is a drama of vivid interest from start to finish. Tomorrow evening, patrons will receive a photograph of Mr. Thomas. Get your tickets early for the matinee.

OPERA HOUSE.—A fair sized matinee and a big evening audiences greeted Sol Smith Russell's excellent company, yesterday. The occasions were notable ones, theatrically speaking, for Mr. Russell has always been a great favorite with Lowell patrons. "A Poor Relation," the matinee attraction, is very familiar, but it was as finely played as ever. The company is an excellent one, but as everybody knows, it is Mr. Russell who shines most conspicuously. Without him "A Poor Relation" and his latest success played in the evening, "April Weather," would be impossibilities. Of "April Weather" it may be said that it is one of the class of plays so well fitted to Mr. Russell's peculiar talents. In fact, it is even more touching than others; it is so homely that an audience is constantly in an April atmosphere of tears and smiles. Mr. Russell's company in this instance was remarkably fine.

The opera "Venus" tomorrow and Saturday, needs no introduction, for its previous visit was signalized by two big audiences. Secure tickets for Saturday's matinee early.

### FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral of Thomas Ferguson took place this morning from his late home, 31 Abbott street. The funeral cortege moved from the home to St. Peter's church, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. McManus. The church was crowded with friends and relatives of the deceased. The remains enclosed in a black broadcloth casket rested on a catafalque in the centre aisle of the church. Two large floral pillows, one inscribed "Husband," the other "Big 12," were placed on top of the casket. The choir under the direction of T. F. Molloy rendered Schimdt's requiem mass, and Miss Josephine Reardon presided at the organ. Miss Cook sang the "Pie Jesu," at the offertory. At the conclusion of the mass, Mr. T. F. Molloy effectively rendered "No Cross, No Crown." The funeral cortege which was a very large one, was then reformed and proceeded to the Catholic cemetery, where the interment took place. The bearers were Messrs. Hugh Mellen, Arthur Heald, John Neylon, Robert Crowley, D. Cahill and Elsie Herrick. The ushers at the house and church were Messrs. Patrick Cullen, Thomas Jones, Thomas Burns and Philip Callahan.

At 8.30 o'clock this morning a solemn high mass of requiem was offered up for repose of the soul of Damien Neven. Rev. Fr. Lamothe, O. M. I., was the celebrant, Rev. Fr. Campeau, O. M. I., deacon, and Rev. Fr. Feat, O. M. I., sub-deacon. The regular choir of the church under the direction of A. M. Duval assisted at the services. L'Union St. Joseph attended the services in a body and afterwards escorted the remains to the grave in the Edson cemetery. The bearers were Messrs. Napoleon Sonci, A. Roharge, Joseph Duval, G. Turcotte, C. Fortier, and N. Boucher.

### POLICE COURT.

**Hadley, J.**

There were five drunks in court this morning.

Catherine Parmenter, who has been in for drunkeness, three times of late, was found guilty and sentenced to jail for 8 months.

Frank E. Carey, pleaded guilty to the charge of assault and battery on his wife Della. The latter who was accompanied by two children, one about three years of age and the other a very small baby, alleged that her husband threw her down and kicked her in the chest. The husband said that he merely pushed her away from him. The court sentenced him to jail for four months and he appealed.

A. N. Stevens was summoned into court as defendant in a case of unlawfully concealing mortgaged property. The complainant is W. E. Potter. The case was continued.

**The Story of Easter.**

Every woman in Lowell is looking forward to Easter Sunday. It will be the day to bring out the new spring cloak and gown. Just what she will wear is not decided but hundreds are finding just what they want at the Beaver Cloak company's store, 51 Merrimack street. Such a fine array of spring suits for out-doors and indoors, and spring capes, cloaks and other wraps, all in new and handsome spring patterns, and in light and fetching new spring styles, it is given to the women of few cities to see.

**First March "Roarer."**

Yesterday was the first really disagreeable day of the month, and the wind last night was of the keenness which makes the month so distressing to people of delicate health.

## NO LICENSE COMMISSION.

### LAWRENCE ALDERMEN FAIL TO PASS THE ORDINANCE.

**Meeting Was One of the Liveliest of the Year—What the Aldermen Said in Opposition to a Commission.**

LAWRENCE, March 15.—The board of mayor and aldermen held one of the liveliest meetings last night that had taken place for some time.

Mayor Rutter's proposed ordinance for the appointment of a liquor license commission was the subject discussed, and some racy remarks were made during this session.

One alderman openly said that he desired to take part in the granting of the licenses.

Alderman Dow desired to postpone action in the matter until the legislature had acted on the proposed license bills now pending.

The mayor stated that it was his impression that if the aldermen wanted a commission they would have to create it themselves.

He could not see any reason why the aldermen should await the action of the legislature.

At the last meeting the mayor had agreed to let the aldermen name one member of the commission, he another, and let these two men select the third.

However, he would not agree to nominate the first man whom the aldermen might choose.

At the meeting Alderman Bruckman thought that the mayor might refuse to nominate 25 men whom the aldermen should name.

Alderman Ellis objected to placing the power of nomination in one man's hands. Then the mayor recalled his previous statement and agreed to nominate the aldermen's first selection.

This concession did not have the desired effect.

Alderman Bruckman said that the republicans had a good working majority in the board of aldermen and if the commission was chosen he thought that this working majority would be surrendered.

"It looks to me," he continued, "as if this ordinance was only brought up because of this majority.

"If the board had been democratic it would not have been introduced."

"Then you propose to grant licenses on political lines?" queried his honor.

"Mr. Mayor," said the alderman, we are all elected on political lines, and whether we acknowledge it or not, we act on political lines. That has been evident from the first of January, even in the case of the chief magistrate. It is an old saying that rum and hypocrisy play a prominent part in politics."

Alderman Kittredge said he desired to grant the licenses, and already he had had "lots" of applicants to see him.

The mayor caustically inquired if he had promised any of them licenses.

The alderman said he had not.

The ordinance was finally laid on the table pending the action of the legislature.

### LOCAL NOTES.

Carpenters are making repairs at the Torrent engine house.

The new Northern depot will not be thrown open to the public until warm weather.

A great reduction has been made in the price of carpets at the assignee sale of Manning & Leighton.

The hearing on the petition for a bridge across Moody street will be held at 7.30 o'clock this evening.

The Ladies Benevolent society of the Highland M. E. church held a social and supper in the church vestry last evening. A very enjoyable entertainment was given during the evening.

The John street Y. P. S. C. has elected these officers: President, Miss May Bancroft; vice president, Miss Mary Snow; secretary, Miss Elizabeth Blandin; treasurer, Miss Grace Fuller.

The Sunshine Social club held a social session last evening, at the residence of E. H. Winters, corner of Sargent and Clare streets. One new member was admitted and there were five applications.

In the vestry of St. Paul's church last evening a very pleasant concert was enjoyed by a large attendance. The arrangements for it were in charge of the flower committee of which Miss Annie Mosher is chairman.

At the Y. M. C. A. rooms last evening, the fourth of the series of practical talks was given by Rev. Willis D. Leland of the Pawtucket church. His subject was "The Glacial or Ice Period," and was very interesting.

At the First Congregational church last evening, the Brotherhood of Andrew and Philip, met and discussed the question of the unemployed, and the cause leading to the distress now existing among the people. Various reasons were assigned, and arguments of every description used to account for the existing condition of affairs.

The contest for the Pickering prizes in elocution will take place in the Tewksbury high school Saturday afternoon. The participants will be Mary Day, Mary A. Collins, Stella F. Morrill, Olive M. Haines, Maggie Keating, Ada Littlefield, Josephine Manley, Maud McRae, Mabel M. Parsons, Sadie Pike, Hypatia Silk, Minnie Twiss, Clinton Wright, Frank Harrington, Adolph B. Moore and Daniel Scott.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Eliot church held a novel entertainment in the vestry last evening. Supper was served from 6 to 8 o'clock by the young ladies of the society. The next feature was the presentation of a seven scene dialogue entitled: "Out in the Streets" by the young people of the society. The entertainment will be repeated this evening.

Allan Frazer, the fancy goods dealer in the Odd Fellows' block on Middlesex street, has a large and most complete line of goods, at prices which cannot be undersold. His store is very handy to those living in the southerly and westerly part of the city, and you are sure of getting just what you want in small wares. He is running on stationary and envelopes today. Do not forget the store, in the Odd Fellows' block.

The regular monthly sociable of the Ladies' society of the Chelmsford street church was held in the vestry Wednesday evening and was largely attended. Supper was served early in the evening, Mrs. E. R. Clark having general supervision. Following this a number of vocal solos were finely rendered by Mrs. E. G. Russell, violin obligato by Mrs. Harrington, and with Miss Minnie Lockhart, accompanist. The entertainment concluded with a lecture on Rip Van Winkles.

The parishioners of Rev. Dr. Court's church, the First Presbyterian, held a very enjoyable social, last evening, with a novel entertainment consisting besides singing and music, a wand drill by these young ladies, under direction of Sergt. Rodgers of the Cadets: Maude Myers, Annie Woodside, Affie Aplin, Florence Flemings, Lena Myers, Ella Morse, Kittie Jackson, Ina Clarke, Dolly Barnard, Blanche Ferguson, Agnes MacDonald and Winona Day. After the entertainment ice cream and cake were served.

### ADVISES AN AGREEMENT.

**Words From the Navy Yard Relative to the Strike There.**

The following letter which will no doubt interest a great many, has been received by THE SUN from a gentleman who is interested in the labor difficulty at the Navy Yard.

Editor of THE SUN:

Dear Sir—It is not my intention of writing an essay on strikes; neither do I wish to say anything which may tend to injure or prejudice the cause of the people who are now contending with their employer at the Navy Yard mills, for what they consider and believe is justice and right. But as one who generally takes an interest in the cause of labor and somewhat personally interested in the outcome of the above strike, I could not desist from taking a survey of the situation in order to see whether there was sufficient justification for the course adopted by the Navy Yard help, and whether it is to the best interests of the people affected thereby.

Strikes are poor weapons to use at the best of times, in the warfare between capital and labor, and consequently should not be resorted to without strong and sufficient reasons. It is doubtful if in the past they have been instrumental to any appreciable extent in the advancement of the cause of the wage-earner; this much we do know that wherever and whenever they have been tried they have caused great suffering and misery, not only to the strikers themselves, but to all those dependent upon them. "Strikes paralyze industries, and long after they are at an end, their evil effects remain." Too often the disastrous consequences of strikes are not considered as they should be by the leaders of labor, many of whom are inexperienced and irresponsible. The excitement of the moment in deciding to strike soon passes away, and the grim monster of being out of work with store bills running up and no pay to expect, begins to stare the poor worker in the face, and continues to haunt him by day and by night until he begins to think and to feel that life, such as that is, is not very much worth living, and that strikes after all are not so good as they are cracked up to be.

However, without arguing further on the merits or demerits of strikes, upon the question of justification or necessity of the Merrimack strike, would it not be better under the circumstances and conditions of the times to try and come to some honorable settlement with Mr. Fels to terminate as speedy as possible the present unfortunate state of affairs? Even if they did have to come down and accept the reduction would it not be best for the time being, when the clouds in the industrial horizon are so dark and depressing, and the business of the country in such a gloomy and discouraging state? We have seen it said "in the choice of evils, choose the least." "half a loaf is better than none," &c., are these not times that such philosophy could be acted upon to advantage?

The reductions of wages in the woolen industries are generally along the line; the Navy Yard is not the exception; even our Congressman Stevens is in the procession, the "largest woolen manufacturer in the world" and was supposed to know it all, still he has cut down the pay in order to make it possible to run. I do not wish to be looked upon as an advocate of the capitalist—as heaven knows they are not in need of my services—still every reasonable thinking person knows that in order to run a business successfully, capital expects some return, but whether it is at all times satisfied with that which is right I will not for a moment admit, for as a class they are grasping, avaricious, and soulless—caring but little for the rights and well being of those who are essential to the making of wealth. Nevertheless, there are times, such as the present, when it is politic and to the best interest of labor to submit to the demands, unreasonable as they may seem, until a more prosperous time and a more convenient season.

In one respect Mr. Bachman is to be commended; he is no respecter of persons, as we understand the reduction is a general one commencing at the top. Hoping that some means will be found to bring the trouble to an end so soon as possible as sooner is better than latter, is the wish of

Yours Respectfully

AN ONLOOKER,
Navy Yard.

### ORDER OF ÆGIS.

**Judge Allen Orders the Receiver to Make Payments of Claimants.**

Judge Allen yesterday in the Supreme court entered a decree on the third report of receiver Alfred Hemenway of the order Ægis, ordering of a distribution of the assets to the certificate holders thereunto entitled.

On Feb. 1 last, the time of filing this report, the assets amounted to $210,510.13, of which $47,000 was composed of unpaid mortgages which are not yet due.

The amount of claims against the reserve fund, class 1, is $293,681, and the number of claimants 0293. The amount of claims proved against the relief fund of class 2 is $7680.06, and the number of claimants 1052.

In this last named class a final dividend of 20 per cent. is ordered, payable on and after April 10 next, and in class one a partial dividend of 50 per cent payable at the same time.

### HAIL GLORIOUS APOSTLE!

**How St. Patrick's Day Will be Celebrated in This City.**

The feast of St. Patrick will be observed Saturday at St. Patrick's church with appropriate ceremony.

Solemn high mass will be celebrated at 10.30 and the various societies connected with the church will march to the edifice in a body. The members of the city government will attend and they will be escorted to the hall by St. Patrick's Cadet band. The various Hibernian lodges will also attend.

On Saturday evening the Hibernians will have a banquet, at which Mr. Joseph Smith of this city will make the principal address.

The Alpine Social club will observe the day with a banquet and sociable in Runels' hall.

The Mathew Temperance institute will present the drama "Shamrock and Rose," in Huntington hall, Saturday evening.

On Saturday evening the Ladies' auxiliary of the Burke Temperance institute, will hold an apron and necktie party at the hall, and the members of the institute are co-operating in the arrangements as much as possible.

**State Convention of Foresters.**

There will be a state convention of Foresters in Lawrence, May 22, at which the Lowell courts will be represented. Delegates will be elected in the local courts as follows: Court Wamesit tonight, Courts Champlain and Butler on Tuesday next, City of Lowell next Wednesday, Court Gen. Shields next Thursday, Court Columbus, Friday, March 23; Court Middlesex, March 28; Court Merrimack, March 29.

**Dr. Weeks Sentenced.**

Dr. N. J. Weeks, who was held for the grand jury by Judge Hadley on Tuesday, for larceny, was sentenced to one year imprisonment for a similar, or less grievous complaint, in the Jamaica Plain court yesterday.

## THE WOOLEN MILLS.

### WILL TAKE A BRACE WITH THE REVISED TARIFF.

**Already There Is a Disposition to Increase the Production to Prepare for the Good Times, Which Are Surely Coming.**

The publication of the revised woolen schedule of the new tariff bill will create some enthusiasm among those manufacturers who have either shut down entirely or are operating just enough of their machinery to enable them to hold their place in the market. Some of these mills have orders for goods, and will start up unless it does not appear probable that there will be any subsequent demand to keep the machinery in operation after the small quantity of goods called for is turned off.

A representative of a large Massachusetts mill seen yesterday, on being told that the bill, as decided upon by the subcommittee of the finance committee, provided for a reduction of 6 per cent. on the ad valorem duties of woolen and worsted cloths, blankets, dress goods, etc., of the bill as it left the lower house, said, in effect that this circumstance would, without doubt, decide the officials of his mill, who have been discussing the advisability of turning out more goods, not to do so. Others talked in the same way, and while most of the manufacturers have been little disposed to make any more goods than were absolutely engaged, they feel even less willing to do so now, "that the manifest disposition of the senate committee is shown to be even more antagonistic to their industry than was the house."

Some mills have planned to start up next week on orders, hoping to receive duplicate orders enough to keep their machinery running, but they may be depended upon to stop very soon if these latter do not materialize. The exception to the rule in woolen manufacturing now is the satinet mills which are generally busy, not supplying a demand, however, but, like some of the cotton mills, piling up goods in immense quantities. How long this will continue remains to be seen, but conservative manufacturers who have refrained from accumulating a surplus express themselves satisfied now with the large bare condition of their warehouses as against the large surplus that is being carried by their neighbors.

### SEEN AND HEARD.

The following letter may be of interest to THE SUN readers: The Industrial Aid society of Boston is an organization which was instituted in 1837, and whose main object is the placing of men and women of Boston who are out of work, in positions which shall make them self supporting. This it does without charge to either employers or employed. It is making special effort at this time to place its applicants, which, owing to the great depression of business, are unusually numerous this season. They consist of men and women of all nationalities, and come from parts of this country and the world; among them are farmers, mechanics, mill hands, laborers of all kinds, men for indoor work, porters, etc., etc., women for house work and laundry.

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Three popular young men of Ward Five were the victims of a practical joke a few evenings ago, according to rumor, and as a result are at present looking for some one with a gun. It appears that three young men who are quite "chummy" are rather sweet on three belles of the Highlands, three sisters, and each was uncertain as to how his affection was received. Some of their friends caught on to these little affairs, and the result was that a few days ago each of the three received a neat little note delicately perfumed purporting to come from the object of his affections stating that she would pass a certain corner of School and Broadway on the next evening at a certain time.

Each was in raptures over the note, of course, being totally ignorant of the fact that the other two had also received letters and when the evening in question came around, the young men came also. The first to come was a trifle early, and as he walked under the gaslight, he was amazed to see one of his friends, the second to receive the note coming along. He got behind a fence, it is said, to avoid a meeting and an explanation, and in a short time was chagrined to note the arrival of still another friend, the two standing on the corner. The first young man finally joined his friends, and the three told each other of the letters, and waited, and waited. The young ladies knew nothing of the affair until the next day when some one informed them, and those three young men have blood in their eyes.

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Another good joke is told, at the expense of a party of ward one men who started out for Tewksbury yesterday afternoon. They were going hunting and anticipated a fine time. They boarded a train and were at No. Billerica before they discovered that their train did not go near Tewksbury. Then they got off and inquired what time the next train left for Lowell, and were told, "In an hour." Said one, "I am not going to hang around here for an hour," so they started to walk the track to the city. They had gone some little distance when a small boy informed them that the electric cars had been running between No. Billerica and Lowell for the past year. Sure enough they had forgotten the fact, and retraced their steps to No. Billerica and arrived at the terminus of the route in time to see a car that had just left for the city. Another wait, they finally got a car and came home.

**About New York Schools.**

NEW YORK, March 14—During his visit up the Hudson, the Ablegate Satolli has inspected schools that are run on the Faribault plan. These are in Poughkeepsie and are under the jurisdiction of the board of education. The courts have decided that Catholic instruction in schools supported by public taxation is legal, though the arrangement does not meet the sanction of Archbishop Corrigan. The differences between the archbishop and the ablegate on this question are as striking as ever, but it is a mistake to suppose that the difference of opinion amounts to a personal antagonism. Archbishop Corrigan is said to have accompanied Satolli in a visit to the schools.

**Anniversary Observances.**

It is understood that there will be no elaborate celebration of St. John's day by the French people of the city this year. Many favored observing St. John's day and the 25th anniversary of the organization of St. Jean Baptiste society at the same time. Owing to the hard times, however, and the amount of money required for such an occasion, many of the French people favor postponing the celebration until the new St. Jean Baptiste church is completed and dedicated.

**Lowell People Were There.**

The National Lancers of Roxbury held a brilliant levee last night. Among the guests were Col. and Mrs. J. W. Bennett and Capt. E. H. Shaw. Mrs. Bennett wore a white satin gown, embroidered front, white chiffon and pearl trimmings. Governor Greenhalge and staff were also there.

## BOWLERS ARE ACTIVE.

### JUNIOR MISERABLES PUSH THE SCORES UP NEAR 2500.

**Team Captains Hustling to Strengthen Their Teams in Order to Keep in the Race for the Reserved Positions in the List.**

Before the city tournament began, the Pastime club bowlers were around shaking a feather duster to indicate that they were out looking for blood. In friendly contests from time to time the club men had developed as remarkable bowlers, in fact as a rule the principal bowlers were much better than the average of bowlers on Les Miserables alleys.

But pride goeth before a fall apparently for both teams failed to come up to the required strength last night in their contests with other teams. But their scores were not to be sneezed at by any means, and for a starter they have every chance to fulfill their ante-tournament statements.

Team 1 ran smack against the junior Miserables team, and it was like running into a break water. As a matter of fact the Miserables proved surprisingly strong taking a good fall out of the score of the City Hall team of the night before. The team total of 2478 sets a pace, and a very fast one too. Then Pastimes were defeated by 221 plus. The scores of this game were as follows:

| MISERABLES NO. 2. | | PASTIMES NO. 1. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| J. D. Donohoe | 517 | O. Brown | 530 |
| D. Donohoe | 460 | Young | 453 |
| H. Farrell | 473 | Bond | 409 |
| W. Kelley | 480 | Wilson | 436 |
| O. Kelley | 499 | Campbell | 429 |
| Total | 2478 | Total | 2257 |

It will be noticed by the above score that Brown's was the highest with single strings of 185-172-173. The highest single string was 193 by D. Donohoe. The string totals of the Miserables were 819, 859, 820.

The second game was a close one, with lower scores. It was between the Underwriters and Pastimes No. 2, and the latter team got the highest string total 785, and Willett the highest single string 199, and highest total 530. The Underwriters score was much lower than they had expected. The totals were as follows:

| UNDERWRITERS. | | PASTIMES NO. 2. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| J. H. Swift | 492 | Leonard | 440 |
| Paulist | 430 | Russell | 437 |
| Keyes | 442 | Hounsell | 412 |
| Kerwin | 469 | Willett | 530 |
| Peabody | 456 | Reynolds | 436 |
| Total | 2289 | Total | 2270 |

The Bankers vs. Baker's, Police vs. Lowells, tonight. The four teams play their second game of the week.

The crowds around the players indicate the live interest in the tournament.

Leonard of the Pastimes is said to be a dark horse for a top position.

Already there is a great hustle to strengthen teams. All the bowlers of any reputation will be pulled into the contest.

### DEATHS.

George S. Austin, for a number of years superintendent for Davis & Sargent of Lowell of their drives of logs down the Merrimack river, died at Thornton, N. H., Tuesday, of pneumonia, aged 36 years. He was well known among lumber dealers. His home was in Webster.

Thomas Wood, aged 1 year and 11 months, child of Patrick and Mary Wood, died this morning at their home, 110 Rock street.

Ann Montgomery, aged 52 years, died last night at her home, 475 Lawrence street. The funeral will take place Saturday afternoon.

Patrick Shea, aged 61 years, died last night at his home, 7 Clarke street. The funeral will take place from St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

The many friends of Charles Heslin will be pained to hear of the death of his wife, at her parents' home in Townsend, Mass. The funeral will occur from the Northern depot tomorrow at 2.30 p. m. Friends and relatives invited without further notice.

McMannon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts.

### PERSONAL.

Albert Pelletier has engaged in newspaper work again, on the staff of L'Etoile.

Mr. C. A. Daoust is engaged in translating and editing French publications for C. I. Hood & Co.

Miss Lizzie Anderson has gone to Brookline to spend a few weeks.

Frank J. Brady of this city has returned from an extended tour in the west.

T. C. Entwistle of this city and Robert Ruddy of Worcester are making a trip through Florida.

**The Governor's Special Pen.**

Gov. Greenhalge will sign the bill to abolish Fast day with a magnificent pen prepared for the occasion, an enormous tail feather plucked from an American eagle. It was brought up to the state house by a citizen of Lexington, and is to be gold mounted and placed among the curiosities in the historical museum of the Lexington town hall, where it will be forever preserved as a reminder of the governor who made a law the measure establishing as a holiday throughout the Commonwealth the anniversary of the famous fight on the green hard by.

**Mounted Police Force.**

The idea of equipping the local police department with three mounted officers is not a new one and has been advanced on divers occasions, is stirring up Fall River. In the opinion of many citizens, it is worthy of serious consideration.

**St. Patrick's Day Services.**

The mass at St. Patrick's church next Saturday, St. Patrick's day, will commence at 10 o'clock a. m.

The city government and heads of the various departments will attend the services. Div. 8, A. O. H., St. Patrick's Cadets and St. Patrick's Cadet band will also occupy seats in the church upon the invitation of the pastor, Rev. Michael O'Brien.

Solemn high mass will be celebrated, and a grand musical program has been arranged. In the evening services will also be held. The panegyric will be delivered at the morning service.

**A Fine Concert Program.**

An excellent entertainment is to be given in the hall of the Immaculate Conception school this evening. It was intended for St. Patrick's night, but for convenience will be produced tonight. It will be a concert of Irish airs by some of the leading singers of the city with a number of appropriate recitations, instrumental solos and other features added. The program contains many of the most celebrated gems of Irish song and they will be rendered by David P. Martin, Miss Ewing, Miss McCaffrey and other well known favorites.

**Marriage Intentions.**

The following intentions were recorded at the city clerk's office to day:

Brunswick Brown, 36, Boston, to Mary Birmingham, 30.
Patrick Rogers, 26, to Susan Welch, 22.
William H. White, 25, to Georgina Boucher, 23.

# LATEST

## ARBITRATION FAILS.

### STATE BOARD WAS UNABLE TO DO ANYTHING YESTERDAY.

**Lawrence Labor Troubles Becoming More Complex in Consequence—Strikers are Very Confident That They Will Win.**

LAWRENCE, March 15.—When Messrs. Walcott and Warner, state board of arbitration, left yesterday afternoon, after their conference with the Arlington mill's strikers and Agent Redford, it was with the expectation that a settlement would be forthcoming.

Today, however, it seems to be as far distant as ever in consequence of the refusal of Agent Redford to agree to leave the wages to the board.

After hearing the strikers' end of the case, the board went to the Arlington mills and held a conference with Agent Redford.

No agreement was reached, however. A proposition was made that the strikers return to work, and allow the board to fix the wages. The executive committee was to report the matter to the strikers for their decision.

This the committee did yesterday afternoon at a meeting in Hamlin's hall, and it was decided to return to work tomorrow.

This morning a committee from the strikers waited upon Agent Redford to have him sign the following document, which representatives of the strikers were also to sign, and have presented to the State Board of Arbitration:

"In last September the employees of the dyeing and finishing departments of the Arlington mills at Lawrence were reduced 10 per cent in their pay. Now we respectfully ask the assistance of your honorable body in restoring us the same, if possible, as we, the employees, and said corporation are willing to abide by your decision, should your honorable board to see fit to grant us the 10 per cent or any part thereof, the same to take effect from the day we resume work, viz., Thursday, March 15."

Agent Redford refused to sign the document.

The representatives of the strikers claim that Redford stated he would leave the wages to the board on condition that the latter would take the wages paid in the lower Pacific mill as a standard.

Agent Redford further said, as the strikers claim, that should the matter be left to the state board he would only furnish such figures as he saw fit.

The strikers met this morning, and upon learning the stand taken by Agent Redford, were more determined than ever to remain out. Their refusal to work means that about three thousand operatives of other departments which were shut down Monday will continue to suffer enforced idleness.

### CHURCH OF MADELEINE.

**Badly Damaged by the Explosion of a Bomb Today.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

PARIS March 15.—A bomb was exploded in the Church of the Madeleine this morning, damaging the edifice. One man killed and many injured.

[The Madeleine is the famous church on the boulevard of the same name, and to it all tourists to Paris pay a pilgrimage.—ED.]

### STREET CAR MEN

**Strike in New York on Account of Cut Wages.**

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

NEW YORK, March 15.—The entire street railway system from Hunter's Point to Steinway avenue, is tied up today, owing to a strike of the railway men. They have had their wages cut.

**The Strike Aspect.**

The strike at the Navy Yard appears to be unchanged. It is stated that Saturday a notice will be posted announcing that the mill will start as usual on Monday.

The operatives received their pay this afternoon.

**Sail the Ocean Blue.**

Mrs. Margaret Dolan, Mr. Brian King and Mrs. Mary King, sailed yesterday on the Britannic of the White Star line for the old country.

The Ethiopa of the Anchor line will sail tomorrow from New York for Glasgow, and the Umbria will sail Saturday, for Liverpool. Messrs. John Carney and Richard Carty will take passage on the former and Messrs. Oliver and Thomas Wood, on the latter. They were all booked through Murphy's agency.

**Immaculate Conception Church Services.**

The Lenten services at the church of the Immaculate Conception last evening were attended by a large congregation. An eloquent sermon on the subject "Sacramental Confession" was preached by Rev. D. M. Burns, O. M. I.

The feast of St. Patrick will be observed at the Immaculate Conception church, Saturday with special services. The masses will be at 5.15, 6.30 and a solemn high mass at 9 o'clock at which a panegyric on St. Patrick will be delivered.

On Sunday morning next, Palm Sunday, the blessing of the palms will take place at 10.30 o'clock when a solemn high mass will be celebrated. A procession through the church will take place during mass.

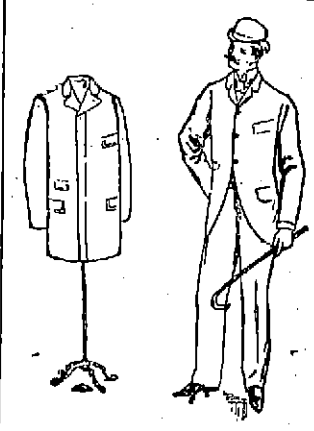
**Arrested for Alleged Larceny.**

Harry Percival, aged 32 years, a resident of this city, was arrested this morning by Inspectors Laflamme and Allen on a warrant charging him with breaking and entering the house at 42 High street and larceny therefrom of a monkey fur cape and 12 yards of silk, the property of Margaret McCarthy.

**Bids Wanted for $100,000.**

The finance committee met yesterday afternoon and authorized Treasurer Chadwick to call for bids on $100,000 maturing in 1904. This is the last of $1,000,000 worth of water works bonds.


**Our Store Will Be Open Friday Nights Until Further Notice.**



We have received from Rogers, Peet & Co. several new lots of Spring Overcoats and Covert Coats. These, in addition to those of our own make, enable us to display twenty-five fresh styles of Top Coats for spring, all of fashionable length, of proper materials, and rightly tailored. Some are lined with silk. Prices $3 to $28.

Boys' and Children's Spring Overcoats, Covert Coats, and Spring Reefers New and natty.

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## SUIT FOR $40,000,000.

### THE UNION PACIFIC'S PRESENT AND PAST DIRECTORS.

**Alleged Violation of Trust by Officials—The Heirs of Past Directors Involved in the Muddle.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—One of the most important propositions yet submitted to congress was presented to the house, when it assembled today, by Representative Boatner of Louisiana, a leading member of the committee on judiciary.

The proposition, as Representative Boatner has drafted, recites with explicit detail numerous defaults of the Union Pacific railroad and contiguous lines to meet the debt due the United States. It charges the present directors of the road, and those of past boards of directors, with a violation of their trust, an improper absorption of outside lines and the voting of dividends contrary to law and against the interests of the United States.

In conclusion directs, in the form of a joint resolution, that the president shall appoint special counsel to institute suit against the present and past directors, their heirs and legal representatives, to collect $33,000,000 and interest due the United States. With interest the amount of litigation would exceed $10,000,000. It would be the largest lawsuit ever instituted in this country, if not the largest in any country.

**Recommends $100,000 for Counsel.**

By the terms of the resolution, the department of justice would be relieved from further action in the Union Pacific cases, and the suit would be prosecuted by special counsel as a special case. The joint resolution places $100,000 at the disposal of the president for the employment of counsel. It is provided that the counsel shall not be in any way connected in present or past service with the Union Pacific road or with any of the directors.

**Will Fight It Out.**

PITTSBURG, March 15.—Notwithstanding the central board of education declared against persons teaching in public schools in the garb of a religious order, and the application for an injunction restraining the Riverside school board from employing such persons, the directors will retain the five nuns now teaching in that school until the question is finally settled by the courts.

**And It Still Grows.**

The Church league fund now amounts to $3078.90. Recent contributions were those of $8.50 from the First Baptist, $25 from Branch street church, and $4 additional from the Kirk street church.

**Attention Hibernians.**

The different branches of the Hibernians will attend services at St. Patrick's church Saturday morning. Members are requested to meet at their hall at 9 o'clock promptly.


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IT LOOKS now as if President Cleveland would acquiesce in the policy of his party in regard to the Bland bill and sign that measure.

LOWELL LEGISLATORS are working hard to bring the normal school to Lowell. They have the strongest arguments and should gain the victory.

AN EFFORT will be made by the legislative committee on education to make manual training compulsory in the schools of Massachusetts cities.

THE 25,000 visitors to the Midway Plaisance who kissed a counterfeit Blarney stone will realize now that they are the victims of genuine Irish Blarney.

THE CAUCUSES for the election of a new democratic city committee will soon be held. These caucuses are more important than is generally supposed and they should be well attended by democratic voters throughout the city.

THAT WAS an eloquent tribute to the late Chief Howard delivered by Councilman Curtin at the meeting of the common council on Tuesday night. It was appreciative and expressive of the sorrow felt at the demise of the esteemed head of the police department.

THE BOSTON school committee is at present all one sided. It is overwhelmingly republican while the city is solidly democratic. The democrats ask for a law providing for minority representation. The committee of one hundred will hardly be willing to grant this slight privilege.

SOME OF the Boston papers of late gave up their front pages to patent medicine advertisements. That is something THE SUN has never done no matter what inducement was offered. Charles A. Dana of the New York Sun says $1,000,000 would not buy the front page of his paper for a single day.

THE HAVERHILL GAZETTE gives this piece of good advice to Boston laborers with a grievance:

"Labor should insist upon the construction of a system of underground rapid transit and the opening of new thoroughfares in such localities as are pestilence breeding. The legislature can assist by ordering these necessary and loudly called-for public improvements."

THE PENALTY of high rating by insurance companies for buildings in which there is not the proper protection against fire, will eventually bring about an improvement in the building laws. Such discussions as that held at the Board of Trade meeting on Tuesday evening should be headed by those in whose hands rests the duty of improving the building laws.

BUSINESS is not improving as much as might be expected with the advance of the season, but yet there are signs of improvement which are to a certain extent indicative of better times. The suspense regarding the decision of the tariff question is still the great barrier to the revival of business. Once that is settled, no matter how, business will start up again.

THE FINAL arguments on the senate substitute bill will be the most exciting. Senators Hill and Brice with all the followers they can influence will oppose the income tax feature on the democratic side; while Senators Lodge and Aldrich will lead the republican opposition. It is not unlikely that the substitute for the Wilson bill will undergo still greater modifications before it leaves the senate.

OUR ESTEEMED neighbor the Courier is mistaken in its opinion that Labouchere is not an influential member of parliament and that "Home rule bids fair to languish" while "it does not look like interesting times in British politics." The vote to abolish the house of lords which was carried in the house of commons on motion of Mr. Labouchere, indicates that he has considerable influence in parliament and that there will be very lively times ahead in British politics. The motion was adopted as an amendment to the Queen's speech and will have no effect further than to frighten the lords as an expression of popular sentiment. It places the new premier in a very embarrassing position at the outstart in his administration.

### REPUBLICAN CITY COMMITTEE.

The republican city committee has adopted a set of iron clad rules for enforcing party discipline. The penalties embrace expulsions, ejections, evictions, exclusions, revocations, denunciations, reprimands, ostracisms, relegations, flagellations, cancellations, execrations, maledictions, ebullitions, effervescence (under the collar) and an array of other penalties stopping little short of lynching. The method of counting a quorum is far more original than that of Czar Reed. All the members present fifteen minutes after the meeting is called shall constitute a quorum. It may be that a single member may constitute a quorum and be under the necessity of presiding, acting as secretary, making motions, discussing them, putting the question to a vote and declaring them carried or defeated. Verily the city committee means business and is determined that republicans shall stand by republicans. The democratic city committee may find it necessary to do likewise but that is not a democratic method of counting a quorum.

IT APPEARS the license limit will not be removed this year. It may be changed so that there may be one license for 500 instead of for 1000.

### CURRENT CLIPPINGS.

**Making an Enemy of Him.**

Witherby—Well, I've just had my life insured.

Von Blumer—Let me congratulate you. That's one of the best things you ever did.

Witherby (complacently)—I thought so.

Von Blumer—Yes. I consider it a most important duty for any man to fulfill. He owes it to his wife and family.

Witherby—That's right. You haven't your life insured, have you?

Von Blumer—I am ashamed to say I haven't. You know how it is yourself. I have been putting it off until actually, old man, I can't bear to look at myself in the face.

Witherby—I can appreciate how you feel. But it isn't too late for you yet, old man.

Von Blumer—No, I suppose not. I guess I'll have to attend to it.

Witherby—I'll save you that trouble, old fellow.

Von Bloomer—What do you mean?

Witherby—Why, this morning I took the liberty of giving your name and address to the agent.

Von Blumer (aghast)—What!

Witherby—Yes, and you'll hear from him very soon.

Von Blumer—I will, will I? Look here, sir, you call yourself a friend of mine?

Witherby—Why, certainly.

Von Blumer—Well, sir, henceforth we are enemies. If you ever dare to recognize me again, I'll call you out. (Moves rapidly off.)—Truth.

**A Reminder.**

"Small towns have their compensations, after all," said an actor yesterday. "I've just been staying up in a town that boasts of four churches and stands badly in need of them all. Three of the ministers have been roasting their congregations every Sunday for the last two months, and consequently they have drawn crowded houses. Last week one of the churchwardens of the other church took the minister aside and hinted to him that his sermons were too conservative.

"'We're getting behind the times,' he exclaimed. 'You must stir us up a bit.'

"Last Sunday morning the minister opened up. A gatling gun couldn't have gone home to the congregation more effectually. Everybody in the town got trimmed, and by way of a climax the minister attacked one of the town's most questionable resorts. As the name of this place fell from the minister's lips one of the churchwardens snapped his fingers and exclaimed half audibly:

"'So it was; so it was!'

"On the way out of church a man accosted the churchwarden.

"'How's that for a sermon?' exclaimed the man.

"'Great!' cried the churchwarden. 'Great, my dear sir! I hope it will bear fruit.'

"'I say,' asked the man confidentially, 'what did you snap your fingers for?'

"'Why, it reminded me that's the place where I left my umbrella.'"—Exchange.


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**She Spoke the Truth.**

Mabel—George stole a lot of kisses from me last night.

Maud—Oh, he doesn't know any better!

Mabel—Yes, that's so. He said they were better than any he ever had.—Truth.

**Reports From France.**

"What's the latest report from Paris?" asked the managing editor.

"I've just received two," replied the telegraph editor; "one from a duel and the other from a bombshell."—Washington Star.

**Misunderstood.**

Mother—Why, Johnny, how dare you tell your aunt that she is stupid! Go to her at once and tell her you're sorry.

Johnny—Auntie, I'm sorry you're stupid.—Hallo.

**What Came of It In Whatcom.**

A landlord in Whatcom, Wash., diplomatically induced a tenant to move by taking off the roof of the house.—Columbus Dispatch.

**Not All Habit, Though.**

Bilkins—You look unhappy.

Wilkins—Y-e-s: I—er—married a shopgirl, you know.

"A charming little woman she is too."

"Yes, I know; bless her! But every time she sees me she yells 'Cash!'"—Puck.

**No Excuse.**

Prisoner—It's hard to charge me with forgery, for you see I can't even sign my own name.

Judge—That point is immaterial. It's another man's name you're accused of signing.—London Tit-Bits.

**Hard on Fathers.**

Winks—What's the matter, old boy? You look as if you didn't get sleep enough. Got a new baby?

Jinks—No. Got a daughter old enough to have callers.—New York Weekly.

**Good Excuse.**

Judge—Why did you commit a second theft after you had just been acquitted of a first charge?

Prisoner—So that I could pay my lawyer.—Hallo.


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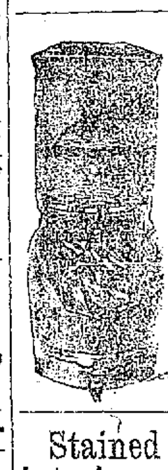

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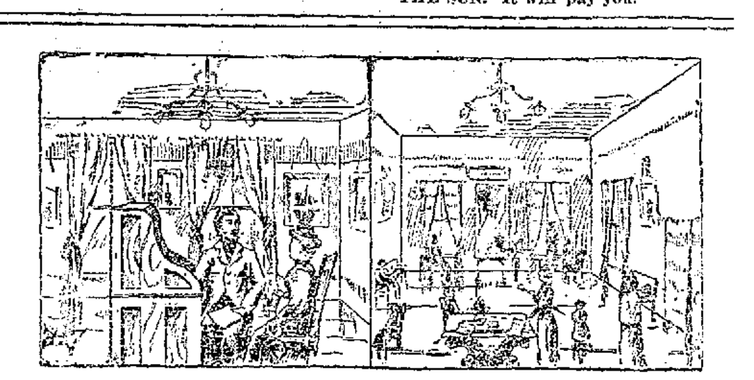

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IF THE masses want to enfranchise women the sooner this is accomplished the better.

IT LOOKS now as if President Cleveland would acquiesce in the policy of his party in regard to the Bland bill and sign that measure.

LOWELL LEGISLATORS are working hard to bring the normal school to Lowell. They have the strongest arguments and should gain the victory.

AN EFFORT will be made by the legislative committee on education to make manual training compulsory in the schools of Massachusetts cities.

THE 25,000 visitors to the Midway Plaisance who kissed a counterfeit Blarney stone will realize now that they are the victims of genuine Irish Blarney.

THE CAUCUSES for the election of a new democratic city committee will soon be held. These caucuses are more important than is generally supposed and they should be well attended by democratic voters throughout the city.

THAT WAS an eloquent tribute to the late Chief Howard delivered by Councilman Curtin at the meeting of the common council on Tuesday night. It was appreciative and expressive of the sorrow felt at the demise of the esteemed head of the police department.

THE BOSTON school committee is at present all one sided. It is overwhelmingly republican while the city is solidly democratic. The democrats ask for a law providing for minority representation. The committee of one hundred will hardly be willing to grant this slight privilege.

SOME OF the Boston papers of late gave up their front pages to patent medicine advertisements. That is something THE SUN has never done no matter what inducement was offered. Charles A. Dana of the New York Sun says $1,000,000 would not buy the front page of his paper for a single day.

THE HAVERHILL GAZETTE gives this piece of good advice to Boston laborers with a grievance:

"Labor should insist upon the construction of a system of underground rapid transit and the opening of new thoroughfares in such localities as are pestilence breeding. The legislature can assist by ordering these necessary and loudly called-for public improvements."

THE PENALTY of high rating by insurance companies for buildings in which there is not the proper protection against fire, will eventually bring about an improvement in the building laws. Such discussions as that held at the Board of Trade meeting on Tuesday evening should be heeded by those in whose hands rests the duty of improving the building laws.

BUSINESS is not improving as much as might be expected with the advance of the season, but yet there are signs of improvement which are to a certain extent indicative of better times. The suspense regarding the decision of the tariff question is still the great barrier to the revival of business. Once that is settled, no matter how, business will start up again.

THE FINAL arguments on the senate substitute bill will be the most exciting. Senators Hill and Brice with all the followers they can influence will oppose the income tax feature on the democratic side; while Senators Lodge and Aldrich will lead the republican opposition. It is not unlikely that the substitute for the Wilson bill will undergo still greater modifications before it leaves the senate.

OUR ESTEEMED neighbor the Courier is mistaken in its opinion that Labouchere is not an influential member of parliament and that "Home rule bids fair to languish" while "it does not look like interesting times in British politics." The vote to abolish the house of lords which was carried in the house of commons on motion of Mr. Labouchere, indicates that he has considerable influence in parliament and that there will be very lively times ahead in British politics. The motion was adopted as an amendment to the Queen's speech and will have no effect further than to frighten the lords as an expression of popular sentiment. It places the new premier in a very embarrassing position at the outstart in his administration.

### REPUBLICAN CITY COMMITTEE.

The republican city committee has adopted a set of iron clad rules for enforcing party discipline. The penalties embrace expulsions, ejections, evictions, exclusions, revocations, denunciations, reprimands, ostracisms, relegations, flagellations, cancellations, execrations, maledictions, ebullitions, effervescence (under the collar) and an array of other penalties stopping little short of lynching. The method of counting a quorum is far more original than that of Czar Reed. All the members present fifteen minutes after the meeting is called shall constitute a quorum. It may be that a single member may constitute a quorum and be under the necessity of presiding, acting as secretary, making motions, discussing them, putting the question to a vote and declaring them carried or defeated. Verily the city committee means business and is determined that republicans shall stand by republicans. The democratic city committee may find it necessary to do likewise but that is not a democratic method of counting a quorum.

IT APPEARS the license limit will not be removed this year. It may be changed so that there may be one license for 500 instead of for 1000.

### CURRENT CLIPPINGS.

**Making an Enemy of Him.**

Witherby—Well, I've just had my life insured.

Von Blumer—Let me congratulate you. That's one of the best things you ever did.

Witherby (complacently)—I thought so.

Von Blumer—Yes. I consider it a most important duty for any man to fulfill. He owes it to his wife and family.

Witherby—That's right. You haven't your life insured, have you?

Von Blumer—I am ashamed to say I haven't. You know how it is yourself. I have been putting it off until actually, old man, I can't bear to look at myself in the face.

Witherby—I can appreciate how you feel. But it isn't too late for you yet, old man.

Von Blumer—No, I suppose not. I guess I'll have to attend to it.

Witherby—I'll save you that trouble, old fellow.

Von Bloomer—What do you mean?

Witherby—Why, this morning I took the liberty of giving your name and address to the agent.

Von Blumer (aghast)—What!

Witherby—Yes, and you'll hear from him very soon.

Von Blumer—I will, will I? Look here, sir, you call yourself a friend of mine?

Witherby—Why, certainly.

Von Blumer—Well, sir, henceforth we are enemies. If you ever dare to recognize me again, I'll call you out. (Moves rapidly off.)—Truth.

**A Reminder.**

"Small towns have their compensations, after all," said an actor yesterday. "I've just been staying up in a town that boasts of four churches and stands badly in need of them all. Three of the ministers have been roasting their congregations every Sunday for the last two months, and consequently they have drawn crowded houses. Last week one of the churchwardens of the other church took the minister aside and hinted to him that his sermons were too conservative.

"'We're getting behind the times,' he exclaimed. 'You must stir us up a bit.'

"Last Sunday morning the minister opened up. A gatling gun couldn't have gone home to the congregation more effectually. Everybody in the town got trimmed, and by way of a climax the minister attacked one of the town's most questionable resorts. As the name of this place fell from the minister's lips one of the churchwardens snapped his fingers and exclaimed half audibly:

"'So it was; so it was!'

"On the way out of church a man accosted the churchwarden.

"'How's that for a sermon?' exclaimed the man.

"'Great!' cried the churchwarden. 'Great, my dear sir! I hope it will bear fruit.'

"'I say,' asked the man confidentially, 'what did you snap your fingers for?'

"'Why, it reminded me that's the place where I left my umbrella.'"—Exchange.

### SUNBEAMS.

**She Spoke the Truth.**

Mabel—George stole a lot of kisses from me last night.

Maud—Oh, he doesn't know any better!

Mabel—Yes, that's so. He said they were better than any he ever had.—Truth.

**Reports From France.**

"What's the latest report from Paris?" asked the managing editor.

"I've just received two," replied the telegraph editor; "one from a duel and the other from a bombshell."—Washington Star.

**Misunderstood.**

Mother—Why, Johnny, how dare you tell your aunt that she is stupid! Go to her at once and tell her you're sorry.

Johnny—Auntie, I'm sorry you're stupid.—Hallo.

**What Came of It In Whatcom.**

A landlord in Whatcom, Wash., diplomatically induced a tenant to move by taking off the roof of the house.—Columbus Dispatch.

**Not All Habit, Though.**

Bilkins—You look unhappy.

Wilkins—Y-a-s; I—er—married a shop-girl, you know.

"A charming little woman she is too."

"Yes, I know; bless her! But every time she sees me she yells 'Cash!'"—Puck.

**No Excuse.**

Prisoner—It's hard to charge me with forgery, for you see I can't even sign my own name.

Judge—That point is immaterial. It's another man's name you're accused of signing.—London Tit-Bits.

**Hard on Fathers.**

Winks—What's the matter, old boy? You look as if you didn't get sleep enough. Got a new baby?

Jinks—No. Got a daughter old enough to have callers.—New York Weekly.

**Good Excuse.**

Judge—Why did you commit a second theft after you had just been acquitted of a first charge?

Prisoner—So that I could pay my lawyer.—Hallo.


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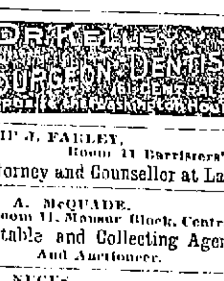

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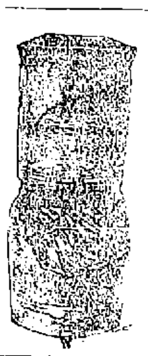

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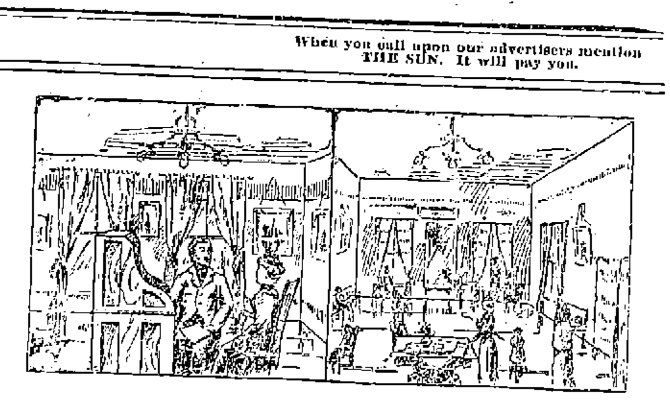

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Over 90 chickens were killed by Rabbi Margolies, who is positive that the chickens were fresh, and is certain that the fault was in the cooking, which was done by a local baker. So great was the crowd of guests at the wedding that a second sitting down to the supper table had to be given, and it is thought that most of the victims were those who sat down at that sitting, as the food was taken from the bottoms and sides of the boilers.

**The Trouble Begins.**

There was no intimation that anything had gone wrong during the time the festivities were in progress, but after a majority of the people had gone to their homes in the North and West ends, the poison began its work. Shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday morning Dr. Kronberger, who keeps a drug store in Salem street, was called out to attend a woman and 9-year-old child at 99 Salem street, who were writhing in agony and in an apparently dangerous condition. Both were in spasms and were exhibiting all the symptoms of poisoning, and antidotes were quickly administered. This was the commencement, for up to 4:30 a. m. over 40 patients had come to the drug store to be treated.

The same program was being enacted in the several Jewish sections of the city, every Jewish physician having from five to 40 patients each, but up to the time of writing no fatalities have been reported. The Hebrew sections of the community are all excited over the event, and in a great number of cases it is the accepted opinion that the poisoning had been caused by using copper vessels, which had not been properly cleansed before using, while a few others hint that enemies of the rabbi had placed an emetic in the food for spite, because the rabbi was not of their way of thinking in matters pertaining to church work.

The doctors, however, are of the opinion that this latter view of the situation is wrong, and that the affair was caused by the copper in the boilers.

**Worcester Visitors Suffered.**

WORCESTER, Mass., March 15.—The Worcester delegation of Jews who attended the wedding at Boston got home last night. Thirteen of them ate of the poisoned meat and were sick, but none suffered badly save Joseph Baermann, rabbi and janitor of the Green street synagogue. His condition is quite critical. Harry Feinberg, the groom, returned with his bride and the Worcester guests. He is a pedler, living at 32 Pond street. He and his bride sat at the first table and were not poisoned.

**Withdraws His Suit.**

NEW HAVEN, March 15.—The suit for divorce which Arthur B. Lincoln, a New York sketch artist of wide reputation, brought in this city against his wife, has been withdrawn. The reason he gives is that he believes his wife wants to marry again, and he does not choose to help her so far along as to stand the expense of making her free to do so.

**A Fight With Nihilists.**

LONDON, March 15.—Advices from St. Petersburg, which lack confirmation, say that a squad of gendarmes discovered the members of a nihilist student society in the act of manufacturing infernal machines. A desperate fight occurred. Two gendarmes and three of the nihilists were killed, and the others were bound and taken to the citadel.

**Salvage of $50,000 Claimed.**

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., March 15.—The owners of steamer Virginia Lake, which towed steamer Briscoe to port, have issued a writ of attachment against the Briscoe, claiming salvage of $50,000, arguing that the intention to abandon the Briscoe was tantamount to an actual surrender.

**A Contract Labor Puzzle.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—A letter has been received at the immigration bureau from the inspector at Buffalo, asking for a ruling as to whether two Canadian baseball players engaged to play in this country come within the prohibitions of the alien contract labor law.

**Taken Back.**

LONDON, March 15.—The vote of the house of commons against the house of lords was withdrawn yesterday, and a substitute, which was much shorter, was accepted without a division. Rumors are widely circulating to the effect that Rosebery will resign.

**No License Enforced.**

STONINGTON, Conn., March 15.—The result of an energetic prosecution of all offenders is that saloons, some of which have been running for years, have all been closed. Stonington people are rejoicing over the great moral improvement in the town.

**People's Progressive Party.**

PITTSBURG, March 15.—The conference of the new national party adjourned after adopting the name of the "People's Progressive party." It was decided to call for a national convention in 1896 to nominate presidential candidates.

**Must Be Very Sick.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Letters and telegrams have been received by members of Representative Wilson's family, indicating his condition and the purpose of returning north and referring to the gloomy spells of the sick man.

**The Henrietta Jackson Case.**

ITHACA, N. Y., March 15.—The coroner's jury brought in a verdict that Henrietta Jackson came to her death by reason of the inhalation of chloride or other irritant gas manufactured by a person or persons unknown.

**Wiltshaw Pleads Guilty.**

NEW YORK March 15.—Harry C. Wiltshaw, the United States National bank clerk, who embezzled $30,000 from that institution, pleaded guilty to the charge, and was remanded for sentence on Monday.

# SUTHERLAND FOUND GUILTY.

### ONE OF McKANE'S FRIENDS GOES TO PRISON.

**Another Sentence for Corruption of the Ballot by a Police Court Justice.**

BROOKLYN, March 15.—After remaining out one hour and 18 minutes the Sutherland jury came into court last evening and announced that they had agreed upon a verdict. They found the defendant guilty as charged in the indictment. The penalty is one year in jail and $500, or both.

JUDGE SUTHERLAND.

Lawyer Backus was the only one of the counsel for the defense in the court at the time. It was learned when the verdict was announced that Sutherland had left the court and gone to New York with Colonel James. Mr. Backus notified the court that the defendant was under bail, and he would produce him whenever the court was ready to pronounce sentence. Judge Brown said that would be on Friday.

Kenneth F. Sutherland, a police justice of Gravesend, was accused of oppression, causing the arrest of John McNamara, Royal M. Steckles and Frank B. Cottrell, copyists sent to the town hall just prior to the elections by William J. Gaynor.

### NICARAGUA CANAL.

**The Government Should Be Cautious About Rendering Assistance.**

BALTIMORE, March 15.—The Manufacturers' Record this week publishes letters from 18 governors replying to the question whether national aid should be given to secure the construction of the Nicaragua canal. Considerable divergence of opinion is shown, but the majority believe that the importance of the canal and the necessity of its being controlled by Americans justify national assistance, provided this can be given in such a way as not to enrich individuals at the expense of the country.

On this point, Governor Waite of Colorado says: "This government furnished the money to build and equip the Pacific railways. Congress was bribed to exchange our first mortgage liens for a second lien. The thieves who accomplished this sleight-of-hand all became millionaires. The country is swindled. It is proposed to play the same old game with the Nicaragua canal. Not any in mine, if you please."

**Released and Rearrested.**

BOSTON, March 15.—Walter Thatcher, the teller of the Brookline National bank, who acknowledged the embezzlement of $3200 of the institution's funds, was arraigned in the Brookline police court yesterday. On request of the president of the bank the case was nol prossed. Immediately after the court had discharged the defendant he was put under arrest and brought to this city, where he will be held for trial in the United States circuit court.

**Operatives Win.**

PROVIDENCE, March 15.—The Lymansville strike has been declared off and the weavers will return to their work at once. Superintendent Sack has abandoned the attempt to force the adoption of the two-loom basis of work, and the rate of wages will be adjusted to agree with that paid at the Olneyville mills. It is a victory for the operatives.

**On Robbers' Trail.**

GUTHRIE, O. T., March 15.—The war department has ordered out Lieutenant Walker of Fort Supply with 20 cavalrymen to chase the men who robbed the Woodward depot safe of the $10,000 of government money. Amos Chapin is also out with a posse of Indian scouts.

**Mayor Won't Yield.**

BROOKLYN, March 15.—Mayor Schieren expressed himself as fully determined to refuse to allow the Irish flag to be raised on the city hall on St. Patrick's day, notwithstanding the resolution passed by the board of aldermen. Without his approval the resolution is inoperative.

**Town Meeting Day.**

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 15.—Town meetings were held in about 230 towns of this state yesterday. Everything passed off smoothly so far as heard from. As only moderators and other town officers were chosen, no political significance can be ascribed to the elections.

**Devoid of Sensation.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The fifth day of the Pollard-Breckinridge trial was devoted by the plaintiff's attorneys to elaborating the main points already marked out by them in their case. There were no sensational incidents.

# WAR ENDED

## The Insurgent Warships Have Been Deserted.

### GREAT RELIEF FELT IN THE UNITED STATES.

### The Struggle Was Costly to the Government.

RIO DE JANEIRO, March 15.—The insurgent forces, it now appears, deserted Fort Villegaignon and the ships on Monday night, leaving the flags flying, and took refuge on the islands of Enchadas and Parqueta. There was not a soul on board the rebel ships during the bombardment.

Several insurgent officers on Monday took refuge on merchant vessels.

Admiral da Gama left the harbor on board the French vessel Magon. The Magon returned here yesterday. It is not known whether the admiral is still on board.

The insurgents offered to surrender on Monday, but the government refused to promise that amnesty would be granted. Some 60 rebel privates gave themselves up. All the insurgent officers, with the exception of the surgeons, have fled.

By order of President Peixoto 500 rebel prisoners have been liberated from the jails. The rejoicing among the people that the war has proved a fizzle is general.

Salutes were fired at constant intervals yesterday. The streets are crowded and every one keeping a holiday.

Admiral de Mello has been seen in the streets of Montevideo. He has deserted his followers, as Admiral da Gama deserted his officers and men on the harbor fleet.

The insurgent sailors here will be pardoned. The officers will be courtmartialed.

**By Way of Washington.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Secretary Herbert received last evening the following cablegram from Admiral Benham regarding the surrender of the Brazilian insurgents:

RIO, March 14.

Yesterday at 3 p. m. city opened fire on insurgent force and vessels and was not returned. Insurgent forts, position and vessels have been abandoned. Insurgent admiral and followers have taken refuge on board the Portuguese man-of-war. Now the revolution is confined to the southern states.

BENHAM.

Minister Mendonca said that in the absence of official instructions he could give no expression of opinion on the future course which his government would pursue toward the surrendered revolutionists. He looked upon the surrender, however, as an emphatic termination of hostilities.

**Welcome News.**

The news of the surrender from Rio de Janeiro was very welcome to Secretary Gresham, and to Secretary Herbert particularly.

To the first it serves as a relief from the ever present apprehension lest something should occur that might involve the United States government in some ugly dispute with one of the combatants, or perhaps with some of the foreign powers that have so jealously watched the course so firmly and consistently pursued by this government.

To Secretary Herbert the surrender means the ability to relieve most of the American sailors, who have endured much hardship and exposure to yellow fever, from further service at Rio, and to utilize the ships now there for duty in other places, where they are much needed.

It also means a considerable saving to the navy department, for the maintenance of the large fleet at Rio has been very expensive. Stores and supplies there are always dear, and their cost has been enhanced by the war. Coal alone is a considerable item in the bill, the price at Rio being $11.50 a ton, and the consumption of the new vessels is very large.

**American Interests Are Safe.**

Minister Thompson and Admiral Benham have both acquitted themselves of their delicate and responsible duties to the perfect satisfaction of the president and their superior officers, Secretary Gresham saying that there was nothing for the United States to do now at Rio; we had acted with perfect fairness throughout, and there was no occasion now for interference, so long as American interests were safe.

Whether or not the French and British and Portuguese naval commanders have laid themselves liable to a charge of violation of neutrality in receiving the fugitive rebel officers aboard their ships is a matter in which the United States feels no concern, practically as we are blameless on that score. The naval officers here are well pleased that Da Gama should have escaped, believing that he is a man of sterling qualities and brave to a fault.

**Mello's Meanness.**

It is surmised that he will be landed at Montevideo or some other neutral port, and it is believed that he will have nothing more to do with the rebellion in Brazil. It is suspected by naval officers that Da Gama has been made a scapegoat by Mello, for it is now believed that when the latter sailed away from Rio with the Aquidaban and Republica he realized that the rebel cause at that place was absolutely hopeless. He depended upon his ability to run past the forts with two ships, but it was manifestly impossible for the other half disabled and unprotected insurgent ships to run this gauntlet.

It became a question of losing everything or escaping himself. He escaped, leaving Da Gama to share the lost fortunes of his men. Nobody knows what Mello will do now. He may join the insurgents at Desterro, or he may go to Uruguay or Argentine and surrender his ships. If he scuttles the vessels he is liable to punishment for barratry.

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The St. Lawrence river below Quebec is free of ice.

Subscriptions to the Boston relief fund amount to $100,136.

Robbers secured $10,000 from the railroad station at Woodwark, O. T.

John T. Ford, manager of the theater where Lincoln was assassinated, is dead.

James R. Feeley, manufacturing jeweler of Providence, has made an assignment.

John Brecht, a farmer living near Ravenna, Neb., shot his wife fatally and then killed himself.

There are public bequests amounting to $83,000 contained in the will of the late Hon. Rufus S. Frost.

The Turkish authorities have convicted 11 Kurds who assaulted Miss Melton, an American missionary.

The Drawbaugh Telephone company declares that it is in the field to compete with the Bell company.

Charles Luther, colored, is missing from New Bedford, Mass., together with a bicycle and some clothing.

New Jersey Republicans have accepted the court's proposition for the proper presentation of the senatorial case.

The Lawrence (Mass.) board of aldermen laid on the table Mayor Rutter's proposition for a liquor commission pending action by the legislature.

Charles Jackman and John Frilley were arrested at Pittsfield, Mass., for stripping the Berkshire glass works of a large quantity of copper and lead.

British steamer Salamanca of Newcastle was sighted at anchor about five miles southeast of Point Judith, apparently making repairs to her machinery.

A call has been extended to Rev. W. H. Lewis, rector of the St. John's Episcopal church, Bridgeport, Conn., to become rector of the Church of the Ascension of New York.

**Neal Dow's Birthday.**

BOSTON, March 15.—The Massachusetts Woman's Christian Temperance union proposes to celebrate the 90th anniversary of the birth of General Neal Dow by a series of interesting meetings in King's chapel. Many prominent temperance advocates from all over the state will participate in the proceedings.

**On the Quiet.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The senate committee on finance failed again to reach an agreement as to when the tariff bill should be reported to the senate. Objection was made to the publication of the proceedings of the committee and a resolution pledging the members to secrecy was adopted.

**Objected to a Big Cut.**

MERIDEN, Conn., March 15.—Thirty laborers employed in building the new electric road here went on strike yesterday, because of a 25 cent reduction in their wages.

**Paddy Smith's Loving Wife.**

DENVER, March 15.—May Smith, the wife of Paddy Smith, pugilist, threw carbolic acid in her husband's face, badly burning him.

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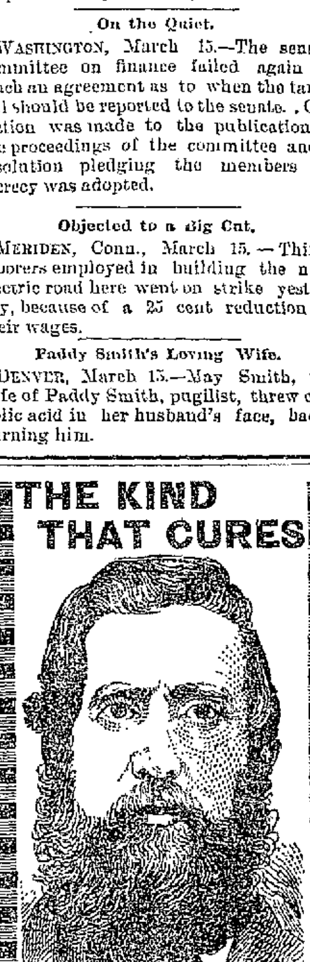

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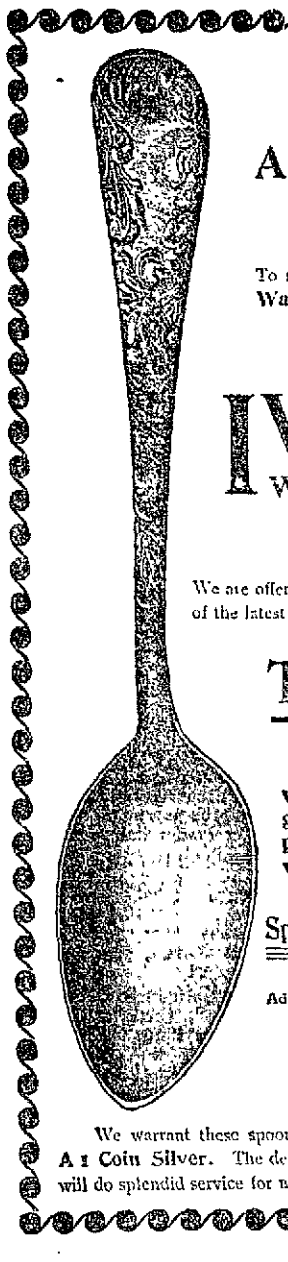

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For Salem and Lynn, 12.15, 5.10 p. m.

For Newburyport, 12.15, 2.10, 3.25, 5.10 p. m.

For Exeter, and Dover, 8.50 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5 35 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls Saco and Portland 8.30 a.m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35.

For Augusta, Bath, Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.00 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

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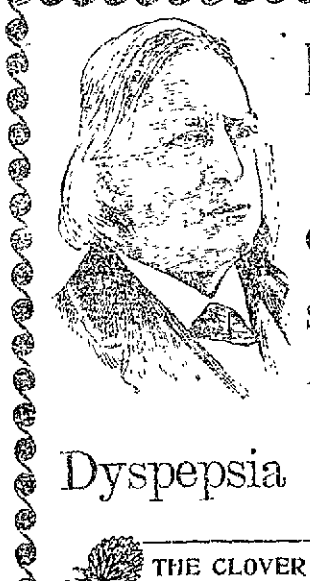

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# FOOD POISONED

## Many Guests Suffer at Jewish Wedding.

### THE CHICKEN SALAD AND PICKLED TONGUE

### Proved Detrimental to the Jewish Assembly.

BOSTON, March 15.—If Harry Feinberg of Worcester, and Miss Ida M. Margelies, daughter of Rabbi Margelies of this city, had not been married in Minot hall, and pickled tongue and cold chicken had not been served at the wedding feast, many persons who were present at the wedding might not have been in need of the services of a physician yesterday. The wedding was attended by a large number of Jewish people, and the festivities continued until late into the night, when the supper was served.

Over 90 chickens were killed by Rabbi Margolies, who is positive that the chickens were fresh, and is certain that the fault was in the cooking, which was done by a local baker. So great was the crowd of guests at the wedding that a second sitting down to the supper table had to be given, and it is thought that most of the victims were those who sat down at that sitting, as the food was taken from the bottoms and sides of the boilers.

**The Trouble Begins.**

There was no intimation that anything had gone wrong during the time the festivities were in progress, but after a majority of the people had gone to their homes in the North and West ends, the poison began its work. Shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday morning Dr. Kronberger, who keeps a drug store in Salem street, was called out to attend a woman and 9-year-old child at 99 Salem street, who were writhing in agony and in an apparently dangerous condition. Both were in spasms and were exhibiting all the symptoms of poisoning, and antidotes were quickly administered. This was the commencement, for up to 4:30 a. m. over 40 patients had come to the drug store to be treated.

The same program was being enacted in the several Jewish sections of the city, every Jewish physician having from five to 40 patients each, but up to the time of writing no fatalities have been reported. The Hebrew sections of the community are all excited over the event, and in a great number of cases it is the accepted opinion that the poisoning had been caused by using copper vessels, which had not been properly cleansed before using, while a few others hint that enemies of the rabbi had placed an emetic in the food for spite, because the rabbi was not of their way of thinking in matters pertaining to church work.

The doctors, however, are of the opinion that this latter view of the situation is wrong, and that the affair was caused by the copper in the boilers.

**Worcester Visitors Suffered.**

WORCESTER, Mass., March 15. — The Worcester delegation of Jews who attended the wedding at Boston got home last night. Thirteen of them ate of the poisoned meat and were sick, but none suffered badly save Joseph Baermann, rabbi and janitor of the Green street synagogue. His condition is quite critical. Harry Feinberg, the groom, returned with his bride and the Worcester guests. He is a pedler, living at 32 Pond street. He and his bride sat at the first table and were not poisoned.

**Withdraws His Suit.**

NEW HAVEN, March 15. — The suit for divorce which Arthur B. Lincoln, a New York sketch artist of wide reputation, brought in this city against his wife, has been withdrawn. The reason he gives is that he believes his wife wants to marry again, and he does not choose to help her so far along as to stand the expense of making her free to do so.

**A Fight With Nihilists.**

LONDON, March 15.—Advices from St. Petersburg, which lack confirmation, say that a squad of gendarmes discovered the members of a nihilist student society in the act of manufacturing infernal machines. A desperate fight occurred. Two gendarmes and three of the nihilists were killed, and the others were bound and taken to the citadel.

**Salvage of $50,000 Claimed.**

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., March 15.—The owners of steamer Virginia Lake, which towed steamer Briscoe to port, have issued a writ of attachment against the Briscoe, claiming salvage of $50,000, arguing that the intention to abandon the Briscoe was tantamount to an actual surrender.

**A Contract Labor Puzzle.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—A letter has been received at the immigration bureau from the inspector at Buffalo, asking for a ruling as to whether two Canadian baseball players engaged to play in this country come within the prohibitions of the alien contract labor law.

**Taken Back.**

LONDON, March 15.—The vote of the house of commons against the house of lords was withdrawn yesterday, and a substitute, which was much shorter, was accepted without a division. Rumors are widely circulating to the effect that Rosebery will resign.

**No License Enforced.**

STONINGTON, Conn., March 15.—The result of an energetic prosecution of all offenders is that saloons, some of which have been running for years, have all been closed. Stonington people are rejoicing over the great moral improvement in the town.

**People's Progressive Party.**

PITTSBURG, March 15.—The conference of the new national party adjourned after adopting the name of the "People's Progressive party." It was decided to call for a national convention in 1896 to nominate presidential candidates.

**Must Be Very Sick.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Letters and telegrams have been received by members of Representative Wilson's family, indicating his condition and the purpose of returning north and referring to the gloomy spells of the sick man.

**The Henrietta Jackson Case.**

ITHACA, N. Y., March 15.—The coroner's jury brought in a verdict that Henrietta Jackson came to her death by reason of the inhalation of chloride or other irritant gas manufactured by a person or persons unknown.

**Wilshaw Pleads Guilty.**

NEW YORK, March 15.—Harry C. Wiltshaw, the United States National bank clerk, who embezzled $30,000 from that institution, pleaded guilty to the charge, and was remanded for sentence on Monday.

# SUTHERLAND FOUND GUILTY.

### ONE OF McKANE'S FRIENDS GOES TO PRISON.

**Another Sentence for Corruption of the Ballot by a Police Court Justice.**

BROOKLYN, March 15.—After remaining out one hour and 18 minutes the Sutherland jury came into court last evening and announced that they had agreed upon a verdict. They found the defendant guilty as charged in the indictment. The penalty is one year in jail and $500, or both.

JUDGE SUTHERLAND.

Lawyer Backus was the only one of the counsel for the defense in the court at the time. It was learned when the verdict was announced that Sutherland had left the court and gone to New York with Colonel James. Mr. Backus notified the court that the defendant was under bail, and he would produce him whenever the court was ready to pronounce sentence. Judge Brown said that would be on Friday.

Kenneth F. Sutherland, a police justice of Gravesend, was accused of oppression, causing the arrest of John McNamara, Royal M. Steckles and Frank B. Cottrell, copyists sent to the town hall just prior to the elections by William J. Gaynor.

### NICARAGUA CANAL.

**The Government Should Be Cautious About Rendering Assistance.**

BALTIMORE, March 15.—The Manufacturers' Record this week publishes letters from 18 governors replying to the question whether national aid should be given to secure the construction of the Nicaragua canal. Considerable divergence of opinion is shown, but the majority believe that the importance of the canal and the necessity of its being controlled by Americans justify national assistance, provided this can be given in such a way as not to enrich individuals at the expense of the country.

On this point, Governor Waite of Colorado says: "This government furnished the money to build and equip the Pacific railways. Congress was bribed to exchange our first mortgage liens for a second lien. The thieves who accomplished this sleight-of-hand all became millionaires. The country is swindled. It is proposed to play the same old game with the Nicaragua canal. Not any in mine, if you please."

**Released and Rearrested.**

BOSTON, March 15.—Walter Thatcher, the teller of the Brookline National bank, who acknowledged the embezzlement of $3200 of the institution's funds, was arraigned in the Brookline police court yesterday. On request of the president of the bank the case was nol prossed. Immediately after the court had discharged the defendant he was put under arrest and brought to this city, where he will be held for trial in the United States circuit court.

**Operatives Win.**

PROVIDENCE, March 15.—The Lymansville strike has been declared off and the weavers will return to their work at once. Superintendent Sack has abandoned the attempt to force the adoption of the two-loom basis of work, and the rate of wages will be adjusted to agree with that paid at the Olneyville mills. It is a victory for the operatives.

**On Robbers' Trail.**

GUTHRIE, O. T., March 15.—The war department has ordered out Lieutenant Walker of Fort Supply with 20 cavalrymen to chase the men who robbed the Woodward depot safe of the $10,000 of government money. Amos Chapin is also out with a posse of Indian scouts.

**Mayor Won't Yield.**

BROOKLYN, March 15.—Mayor Schieren expressed himself as fully determined to refuse to allow the Irish flag to be raised on the city hall on St. Patrick's day, notwithstanding the resolution passed by the board of aldermen. Without his approval the resolution is inoperative.

**Town Meeting Day.**

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 15.—Town meetings were held in about 230 towns of this state yesterday. Everything passed off smoothly so far as heard from. As only moderators and other town officers were chosen, no political significance can be ascribed to the elections.

**Devoid of Sensation.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The fifth day of the Pollard-Breckinridge trial was devoted by the plaintiff's attorneys to elaborating the main points already marked out by them in their case. There were no sensational incidents.

# WAR ENDED

## The Insurgent Warships Have Been Deserted.

### GREAT RELIEF FELT IN THE UNITED STATES.

### The Struggle Was Costly to the Government.

RIO DE JANEIRO, March 15.—The insurgent forces, it now appears, deserted Fort Villegaignon and the ships on Monday night, leaving the flags flying, and took refuge on the islands of Enchadas and Parqueta. There was not a soul on board the rebel ships during the bombardment.

Several insurgent officers on Monday took refuge on merchant vessels.

Admiral da Gama left the harbor on board the French vessel Magon. The Magon returned here yesterday. It is not known whether the admiral is still on board.

The insurgents offered to surrender on Monday, but the government refused to promise that amnesty would be granted. Some 60 rebel privates gave themselves up. All the insurgent officers, with the exception of the surgeons, have fled.

By order of President Peixoto 500 rebel prisoners have been liberated from the jails. The rejoicing among the people that the war has proved a fizzle is general.

Salutes were fired at constant intervals yesterday. The streets are crowded and every one keeping a holiday.

Admiral de Mello has been seen in the streets of Montevideo. He has deserted his followers, as Admiral da Gama deserted his officers and men on the harbor fleet.

The insurgent sailors here will be pardoned. The officers will be courtmartialed.

**By Way of Washington.**

WASHINGTON, March 15. — Secretary Herbert received last evening the following cablegram from Admiral Benham regarding the surrender of the Brazilian insurgents:

RIO, March 14.

Yesterday at 3 p. m. city opened fire on insurgent force and vessels and was not returned. Insurgent forts, position and vessels have been abandoned. Insurgent admiral and followers have taken refuge on board the Portuguese man-of-war. Now the revolution is confined to the southern states.

BENHAM.

Minister Mendonca said that in the absence of official instructions he could give no expression of opinion on the future course which his government would pursue toward the surrendered revolutionists. He looked upon the surrender, however, as an emphatic termination of hostilities.

**Welcome News.**

The news of the surrender from Rio de Janeiro was very welcome to Secretary Gresham, and to Secretary Herbert particularly.

To the first it serves as a relief from the ever present apprehension lest something should occur that might involve the United States government in some ugly dispute with one of the combatants, or perhaps with some of the foreign powers that have so jealously watched the course so firmly and consistently pursued by this government.

To Secretary Herbert the surrender means the ability to relieve most of the American sailors, who have endured much hardship and exposure to yellow fever, from further service at Rio, and to utilize the ships now there for duty in other places, where they are much needed.

It also means a considerable saving to the navy department, for the maintenance of the large fleet at Rio has been very expensive. Stores and supplies there are always dear, and their cost has been enhanced by the war. Coal alone is a considerable item in the bill, the price at Rio being $11.50 a ton, and the consumption of the new vessels is very large.

**American Interests Are Safe.**

Minister Thompson and Admiral Benham have both acquitted themselves of their delicate and responsible duties to the perfect satisfaction of the president and their superior officers, Secretary Gresham saying that there was nothing for the United States to do now at Rio; we had acted with perfect fairness throughout, and there was no occasion now for interference, so long as American interests were safe.

Whether or not the French and British and Portuguese naval commanders have laid themselves liable to a charge of violation of neutrality in receiving the fugitive rebel officers aboard their ships is a matter in which the United States feels no concern, practically as we are blameless on that score. The naval officers here are well pleased that Da Gama should have escaped, believing that he is a man of sterling qualities and brave to a fault.

**Mello's Meanness.**

It is surmised that he will be landed at Montevideo or some other neutral port, and it is believed that he will have nothing more to do with the rebellion in Brazil. It is suspected by naval officers that Da Gama has been made a scapegoat by Mello, for it is now believed that when the latter sailed away from Rio with the Aquidaban and Republica he realized that the rebel cause at that place was absolutely hopeless. He depended upon his ability to run past the forts with two ships, but it was manifestly impossible for the other half disabled and unprotected insurgent ships to run this gauntlet.

It became a question of losing everything or escaping himself. He escaped, leaving Da Gama to share the lost fortunes of his men. Nobody knows what Mello will do now. He may join the insurgents at Desterro, or he may go to Uruguay or Argentine and surrender his ships. If he scuttles the vessels he is liable to punishment for barratry.

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The St. Lawrence river below Quebec is free of ice.

Subscriptions to the Boston relief fund amount to $100,150.

Robbers secured $15,000 from the railroad station at Woodwark, O. T.

John T. Ford, manager of the theater where Lincoln was assassinated, is dead.

James R. Feeley, manufacturing jeweler of Providence, has made an assignment.

John Brecht, a farmer living near Ravenna, Neb., shot his wife fatally and then killed himself.

There are public bequests amounting to $33,000 contained in the will of the late Hon. Rufus S. Frost.

The Turkish authorities have convicted 11 Kurds who assaulted Miss Melton, an American missionary.

The Drawbaugh Telephone company declares that it is in the field to compete with the Bell company.

Charles Luther, colored, is missing from New Bedford, Mass., together with a bicycle and some clothing.

New Jersey Republicans have accepted the court's proposition for the proper presentation of the senatorial case.

The Lawrence (Mass.) board of aldermen laid on the table Mayor Rutter's proposition for a liquor commission pending action by the legislature.

Charles Jackman and John Frilley were arrested at Pittsfield, Mass., for stripping the Berkshire glass works of a large quantity of copper and lead.

British steamer Salamanca of Newcastle was sighted at anchor about five miles southeast of Point Judith, apparently making repairs to her machinery.

A call has been extended to Rev. W. H. Lewis, rector of the St. John's Episcopal church, Bridgeport, Conn., to become rector of the Church of the Ascension of New York.

**Neal Dow's Birthday.**

BOSTON, March 15.—The Massachusetts Woman's Christian Temperance union proposes to celebrate the 90th anniversary of the birth of General Neal Dow by a series of interesting meetings in King's chapel. Many prominent temperance advocates from all over the state will participate in the proceedings.

**On the Quiet.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The senate committee on finance failed again to reach an agreement as to when the tariff bill should be reported to the senate. Objection was made to the publication of the proceedings of the committee and a resolution pledging the members to secrecy was adopted.

**Objected to a Big Cut.**

MERIDEN, Conn., March 15. — Thirty laborers employed in building the new electric road here went on strike yesterday, because of a 25 cent reduction in their wages.

**Paddy Smith's Loving Wife.**

DENVER, March 15.—May Smith, the wife of Paddy Smith, pugilist, threw carbolic acid in her husband's face, badly burning him.


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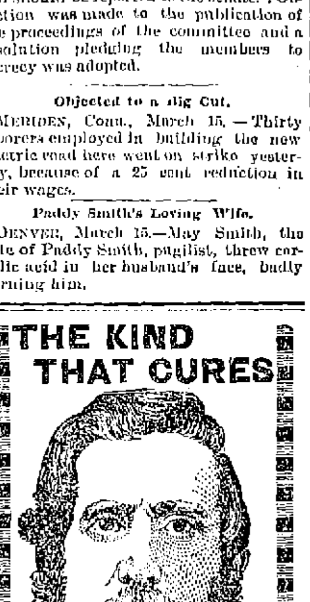

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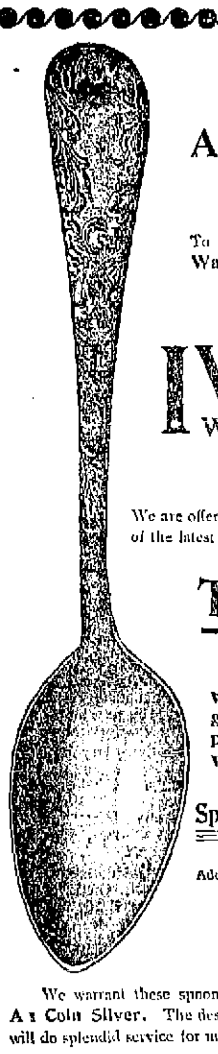

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**For Lawrence**, 8.30, 9.20, 10.50 a. m.; 12.15, 2.40, 3.25, 5.10, 6.15, 6.55, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m. 12.05, 5.35, 7.30 p. m.

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**For Salem and Lynn**, 12.15, 5.10 p. m.

**For Newburyport**, 12.15, 2.10, 6.25, 6.15 p. m.

**For Exeter, and Dover**, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS 5.35 p. m.

**For Rochester** and **Alton Bay**, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25 p. m.

**For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls, Saco and Portland** 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35.

**For Augusta**, Bath, Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.00 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

**For Bangor**; Belfast, Waterville, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

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**For Salem** and Way Stations—¶7.38 a. m.; 1.25, 5.50 p. m. Via South Lawrence 6.30 a. m.

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**For Nashua**, Manchester and Concord 7.49, 9.14, 9.45, 12.11 a. m.; 12.57, 1.47, 3.43, (5.04 Nashua only), 5.42, 6.22, 8.13, 8.43 p. m. SUNDAYS 10.00, a. m. to Nashua only), 2.00, 6.00 8.43, 8.43 p. m.

**For Penacook**, Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction—9.14, 9.45, 12.11, a. m.; 1.47, (5.42 Franklin only), †8.13 p. m.

**For Warner**, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—9.15 a. m.; 1.47 p. m.

**For St. Johnsbury** and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.45 a. m.; 1.47 and †8.43.

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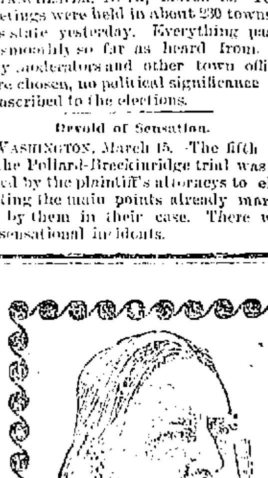

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### SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

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SUN RISES..... 5 56 | MOON SETS... 2 19 AM
SUN SETS..... 5 51 | FULL SEA | ... 5 15 AM
LENGTH OF DAY..11 55 | FULL SEA | ... 5 40 PM

Forecast for New England: Fair; northwest gales, diminishing.

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THE SUN is the only genuinely democratic daily published in a democratic city of eighty thousand inhabitants. Advertisers should bear this important fact in mind.

## LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B Quinn have returned from Minneapolis, Minn.

Gov. Greenhalge was the guest of the Expressmen's league in Boston last night.

Ed. Flannigan of this city, the well known ball player has been signed by Fall River.

Freight business on the railroad is picking up noticeably which is one of the many signs that better times are near at hand.

Rev. F. O. Hall of this city assisted in the marriage of Mr. F. A. Young and Miss Issie S. Brooks, at Fitchburg, yesterday.

Comrade and Rep. W. H. I. Hayes was elected a member of the executive committee of a body of war veterans which dined in Boston yesterday.

At the next regular meeting of Court Merrimack, A. O. F. of A., delegates will be elected to the annual convention which will be held in Lawrence

A meeting of the executive committee of the democratic city committee will be held this evening at which it is said a meeting of the whole organization will be called

Have you seen the beautiful display of millinery, etc., at Courville & Tarte's store 131 East Merrimack street? Tomorrow and Saturday occurs the grand opening. Everybody should go and get an idea of the Easter styles.

#### The First Street Grounds.

A meeting of those interested in athletics at the Y. M. C. A. gym., will probably be held on Friday evening, to arrange plans for the coming season and to see what can be done to put the First street track into shape for use.

#### What "Bill" Said.

In the discussion on women's suffrage in the house yesterday Mr Hayes of Lowell said the time has now come when it must be decided whether Massachusetts shall be governed as in the past or a complete revolution shall take place.

#### Meeting of City Employes.

The city employes will hold a public meeting at 12 Middle street next Monday evening at 8 o'clock to listen to addresses by Messrs. McPadden, Maguire and O'Brien, all of Boston. The meeting is to be under the auspices of Social Assembly, K. of L. Mr. McPadden is master workman of the state.

#### Mr. Shaw's Valued Gifts.

Mr. Ralph H. Shaw, son of the late B. F. Shaw, and a poet whose effusion are receiving much favorable comment, here and elsewhere, is the recipient of a pen, penholder and spectacle wiper, which were once used by the gentle Whittier at his home in Amesbury. A relative of Mr. Whittier gave the highly prized mementos to Mr. Shaw. May the articles, prosaic as they are, yet redolent with sweet memories serve as an inspiration to Mr. Shaws' pen in what is sweetest and noblest in verse.

#### The Liberal Conference.

At the First Universalist church last evening, the fourth in the series of special conferences of the liberal churches was held. Song service was led by J. Avison Baker. Rev. R. A. Greene read from the scripture, and also offered prayer. Rev. Grindall Reynolds was next introduced by Rev. F. O. Hall and delivered an interesting address. He chose for his text John xiv. 11, the topic for discussion being "True and false treasures."

Rev. Mr. Hall and Rev. Mr. Greene also spoke. The meeting this evening will be held at the Unitarian church.

#### The Commission Ordinance.

Here is the substance of the ordinance in Lawrence under which it is proposed to establish a license commission: Section one constitutes a board of three license commissioners, selected from the two principal parties. Section two provides for their appointment by the mayor, immediately after the passage of the ordinance, subject to confirmation by the aldermen, and to hold office until the first day of May, 1895, or until their successors are appointed and confirmed. Section three orders that the board shall organize and elect a chairman from among their number, and the city clerk is to act as clerk of the commission. Section four stipulates that the board shall report its doings to the aldermen, and fixes the salary of the members at $300 yearly.

## CLOSE MILL MEN.

### What a Legislative Committee May Find on Investigation.

There is considerable fun being poked at the members of the committee appointed to canvass the corporations represented in the Manufacturers' association and learn what the members will agree to, says the Fall River Herald. It is a pretty well established fact that some men who have stock in local mills will agree to nothing, much less agree to a long talk with competitors in the business. Some satisfaction can be found in political committees that are sent out to canvass opinions as it oftentimes happens that a bottle of wine and an occasional duck is thrown in.

But among manufacturers there are some men so close that they won't even buy a collar for a dog, much less a cigar for inquiring friends. If there was a prospect of a pleasant chat in all cases, the committeemen would have an easier time ahead of them, but it's known that most treasurers who are to be interviewed haven't even a clay pipe for entertainment.

## SOCIAL AFFAIRS.

The Dazzler Whist club entertained their gentlemen friends, at Miss McAlvin's home, Tuesday evening. Florence H. Addition and Mrs. John F. Cosgrove won first prize; Mrs. Henry J McAlvin and Miss Carrie J. Leighton second prize; and the consolation went to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gray.

Mrs. G. C. Prince entertained a number of her friends at a whist party last evening. Honors were won by Hon. George A. Marden and Mrs. C. E. Adams.

The Highland Twenty Whist club met with Mr. and Buckland of Westford street, Tuesday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. C. O. Davis and Mrs. L. M. Turner, and the consolation by Mrs. F. L. Bachelder.

Mrs. W. E. Hall of Wilder street entertained the Young Marrried Ladies' Whist club Tuesday afternoon. The highest scores were made by Mrs. Charles E. Howe and Mrs. Julian Cameron of Westford.

There was a gathering of friends at the house of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Rollins in Centralville, Tuesday evening. Whist was played and the prizes were won by Mrs. L E. Watton, Mr. George W. Patten and Mr. H. F. Barnes.

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## BAY STATE LEGISLATURE.

### THE LIQUOR TRAFFIC RECEIVES MUCH ATTENTION.

**Woman Suffrage in Municipal Affairs Passed by the House—Other Matters of General Interest.**

BOSTON, March 15.—One of the most important measures that is occupying public attention is one for the establishment of a state commission on license for the purpose of taking the liquor question out of politics.

The committee having charge of this matter gave a public hearing and met to discuss and vote as to whether or not a favorable report should be presented to the legislature The vote stood five to five, with Mr Buck absent It was decided to adjourn until all the member of the committee should be present. In the meantime the Massachusetts Progress club, an organization having branches in 20 cities and towns in the commonwealth, are circulating petitions favoring the commission, and it is expected that fully 150,000 names will be subscribed before the committee meets again.

Women were granted extraordinary privileges by the house. They have now only to capture the senate and then secure the governor's signature to be privileged to vote for mayor, aldermen, councilmen and school committee, and on the question of license at the next municipal elections in the cities of the commonwealth.

The senate judiciary committee reported ought not to pass on the bill requiring the state and cities of over 50,000 population to pay laborers $2 a day for nine hours' work It was further stipulated that only citizens be employed upon state or municipal work.

Leave to withdraw was reported on the petition of the mayor of altham for legislation creating a board of five cemetery commissioners to have charge of the public cemeteries of that city.

An adverse report was made on the bill to increase the salaries of the Boston board of aldermen from $1500 to $1000 annually.

Ought not to pass was reported on the bill establishing the standing as a recognized political party of any party which has or shall for 10 consecutive years cast 1000 or more votes for its candidate for governor; also that any political party which shall increase as rapidly as to poll at least 5 per cent of the total vote for governor before the expiration of 10 years shall be recognized in the same manner.

Adverse reports were made to the house by committees on the following petitions and bills: Petition for legislation requiring conditional sales of personal property to be recorded and protecting the rights of vendee in such sales, petition for an extension of the duties of medical examiners, petition for repeal of existing laws in regard to proceedings before grand juries, petition of the Newburyport Veteran Artillery association to be exempt from jury duty, petition for legislation giving the supreme judicial court authority to determine the ownership of $200,000 worth of bonds in the hands of the state treasurer, deposited by the Cape Cod Ship Canal company and claimed by Quincy A. Shaw; petition that women may be appointed special commissioners; petition that justices and special justices may take acknowledgments of deeds and solemnize marriages; petition to prevent the exhibition of prizefights; bill prohibiting circulation of petitions relating to labor legislation in factories and workshops; bill to compel sleeping car companies to close the upper berth when not sold; bill providing that the tax on the property and franchise of street railway companies shall be received directly by the cities and towns where the railways are operated; bill imposing a tax on legacies and successions.

#### Spring Meet at Boston.

BOSTON, March 15.—At the quarterly meeting of the board of officers of the Massachusetts division of the League of American Wheelmen it was voted that the spring meet be held here May 30. Two thousand dollars was appropriated for the publication of a new roadbook and maps. Resolutions were adopted recommending that the League of American Wheelmen hereafter publish its own official organ.

#### Operators the Victors.

CHARLESTON, W Va., March 15.—The striking miners will hold a meeting at Montgomery to declare the strike off, and they will return to work at the reduced prices. The Edgewater, Great Kanawha and Cannelton miners resumed operations yesterday.

#### Treasury Figures.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The cash balance in the treasury at the close of business yesterday was $126,855,957, and the net gold reserve $107,317,476, a gain since Tuesday of $187,032.

#### Arbitration Failed.

LAWRENCE, Mass., March 15.—The state board of arbitration has failed to effect a compromise in the Arlington mills difficulty. Agent Redford says the mill will not pay any higher wages at present. The entire mill has shut down, leaving over 3500 employes idle.

#### Charged With Stealing Tickets.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., March 15.—John Bloom, a ticket scalper, was bound over for stealing tickets belonging to the Consolidated road. Bloom was in league with Conductor Leahy, who is now serving out a sentence in jail here.

#### Sadly Afflicted.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., March 15.—An epidemic of diphtheria has broken out in Portland, and three children of Thomas Hicks have died from the disease. Another child is sick and is not expected to recover.

#### Guarding Against Smallpox.

SOUTH NORWALK, Conn., March 15.—The boarding house of John Dennis, where Charles Peterson, the traveling smallpox patient stayed while in this city, has been quarantined by the board of health.

#### No Quorum.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—A quorum of the house committee on agriculture failed to appear yesterday, and the consideration of the anti-option bill was therefore postponed

#### Session Will Be Long.

OTTAWA, March 15.—Parliament opened today. The general impression is that the session will be long and arduous.

#### Ran Away From Competitors.

CANNES, March 15.—The Prince of Wales' cutter Britannia scored a victory in the race for the Prix de Cannes. The Britannia finished nearly 40 minutes ahead of the Valkyrie, which was second.

#### Fourteen Days Overdue.

BROOKLYN, March 15.—The Wildon line steamship Apollo has not been seen or heard of since she left this port for Antwerp on Feb. 11. She is now 14 days overdue.

#### Ten Yet to Be Recovered.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., March 15.—The searchers in the Gaylord mine this morning unearthed the body of another victim. There are still at least 10 in the mine.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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A delicious smoke—Old Hundred cigar.

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Grand Canton Pawtucket, P. M., nominated officers at the meeting last night.

E. G. Parker, 23 E. Merrimack street, will name low prices on coal for a few days only. See ad.

Miss Jessie Lewis will give the entertainment on Saturday evening, at the women's branch of the Peoples club.

Mayor Rutter of Lawrence extinguished a fire with a broom, yesterday. It was in the awning in front of the Telegram office.

The greatest favor you can confer on friends is to give them your photo. The place to get photos taken is at Marion's, Barrister's hall.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Whitham, of the corner of Humphrey and Methuen streets, was visited by about sixty friends last evening. It was in the nature of a surprise. The visitors were hospitably entertained.

The subscription party for April 5th in Associate hall is now an assured success The managing young ladies will be Miss Kittie Donovan, Miss Nellie Murphy, Miss Esther M. Owens, Miss Addie Crowley, Miss Anastatia Corbett, and Miss Kittie Lennon.

Mayor Murray, Aldermen Quigley, Bassett and Newhall, Clerk of Committee Lynch, City Clerk Flinn and Superintendent of Street Jones of Woburn, were in this city yesterday, and after inspecting the new city hall and Memorial building, they were shown the work being done on the sewers. Woburn is contemplating putting in a sewer system, and it is desired to get all possible information before the work is commenced. A sewer commission will have charge of the work in Woburn.

#### Governor Morris Explains.

HARTFORD, March 15.—The proclamation of Governor Morris for the observance of Good Friday this year has caused much comment because of a sentence which has been inserted, which reads: "O Jesu Hominum Salvator, with thy gracious light illumine the minds of thy children, who, groping in darkness, are unable to see the truth when it is presented to them." Governor Morris' explanation of the new language in the proclamation is that the present ages are not observing the anniversary properly.

#### A Peculiar Freak.

PROVIDENCE, March 15.—The police are greatly mystified by what is probably the work of a crank During the past week scores of heavy silver door plates have been unscrewed from fashionable residences and carried away. The police were amazed when 19 of the missing plates were found wrapped up in a newspaper and lying on the front steps of station 3 last evening. The plates were uninjured.

#### The Peck Murder.

HARTFORD, March 15.—The murder of Robert Peck of West Hartford is still a mystery. Of the nine arrests on suspicion all but seven have been released; the last two arrested in Thompsonville will be held for further examination.

#### Probably Written by Anarchists.

MONTREAL, March 15.—Mayor Villeneuve has received several threatening letters promising to blow up the city hall and his private residence with dynamite bombs. The police have the matter in hand.

#### The Paterson Strike.

PATERSON, N. J., March 15.—The striking silk workers are confident the employers will concede nearly all demands. The authorities in Paterson are of the same opinion and apprehend no more trouble.

#### Workmen Narrowly Escaped.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., March 15.—The Dowd barrel factory and cooper shop was entirely consumed by fire yesterday. Many men barely escaped with their lives. A number were seriously injured. The loss was $25,000.

#### Cramps Will Get $39,000.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The senate committee on naval affairs authorized a favorable report on the bill remitting $39,000 withheld from Cramp & Sons, builders of the cruiser Vesuvius.

#### Father and Three Children Killed.

DRESDEN, Ont., March 15.—The boiler in Vale's planing mill exploded and killed Adam Cornell, the engineer, and his three children, who chanced to be with him at the time.

#### Western League Baseball.

MILWAUKEE, March 15.—The Western league adopted the schedule presented by the committee. The season will open April 25 and will consist of 126 championship games.

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formerly of Fifth avenue, New York, successor to Emerson, tailor, 65 Central street, has received the latest novelties in foreign and domestic suitings, coatings, and trouserings, for spring wear.

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## DOINGS IN CONGRESS.

### BLAND BILL PRETTY CERTAIN OF PASSAGE TO-DAY.

**Debate Was Finished Yesterday and Statements of Republican Senators Taken Severely to Task.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Chairman Sayers of the appropriation committee is making wonderful progress with the sundry civil bill. Forty pages of the bill were disposed of yesterday, making in all 83 in two days, and only leaving 16 pages more, exclusive of two paragraphs, those relating to the coast and geodetic surveys and the Missouri river commission, which were passed over temporarily. No amendments of importance were adopted. The appropriation for the geological survey, which usually encounters bitter opposition, passed unchallenged.

The test vote which was to be taken on the seigniorage bill, the vote on Mr. Allison's motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed to the third reading, attracted a large attendance. The senate took up the consideration of the bill and Mr. Teller and Mr. George spoke in favor of its passage, the former criticising severely some statements made by Senator Sherman in his recent speech against the bill.

Before Mr George had concluded his remarks the hour of 2 o'clock had arrived, and Mr. Harris insisted upon the vote being then taken on Mr. Allison's motion, with the result that it was defeated by 28 to 45. It is expected that the bill will pass by about the same vote at 2 o'clock today.

Mr Manderson moved then to commit the bill to the finance committee, and this motion was also defeated, by a vote of 27 to 44.

The other portion of the agreement—that all further debate should be under the five-minute rule—was abrogated, and Mr. George concluded his speech in favor of the bill. He was followed by Mr. Carey, who opposed the bill.

### A GRAVE CRISIS.

**Parnellites Appeal to Friends For Consultation and Guidance.**

LONDON, March 15.—The following manifesto, signed by John E Redmond, Timothy Harrington and Joseph E. Kennedy, has been issued:

"Fellow countrymen: The solemn words of warning which we recently addressed to you have been justified more speedily than we anticipated. The premier's first official declaration proves the correctness of our judgment in cautioning you to place no blind confidence in him or his cabinet.

"The position of our country is rendered still more perilous by the slavish silence of the majority of the Irish representatives, and their action in parliament today in first voting closure of our criticism of the government policy, and then giving their votes directly in support of the Irish administration and its policy of eviction, house burning, prosecutions and jury packing.

"No crisis so grave has arisen in the history of Ireland since the death of our late chief. We feel it to be our first duty to appeal to you for consultation and guidance. With this in view, we shall summon a national convention to be held in Dublin, on April 3, to organize without delay. We draw no narrow distinction which would exclude men who recognize the national danger and are willing to share in an endeavor to avert it."

#### How Bay State Banks Stand.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Reports from national banks under the recent call have been received as follows. State of Massachusetts (exclusive of Boston), 213 banks; loans and discounts, $101,568,388; lawful money reserve in bank, $6,417,828, of which $2,957,464 was gold; individual deposits, $71,923,721; average reserve held, 29.86 per cent.

#### Philadelphia's Big Fire.

PHILADELPHIA, March 15.—The extensive warehouse of Haney & White, dealers in hardware supplies, sash and door blinds, in this city, was entirely destroyed by fire last night. The loss is estimated at about $100,000. The lumber yard of B. F. Taylor & Co. was damaged $5000. A stable was partially destroyed.

#### New Jersey Republicans Agree.

NEW YORK, March 15.—The counsel for the Republican senate at Trenton announced to the supreme court that they would agree to the propositions submitted by the court for the presentation of the case so that it could be properly considered, but they reserved the right to appeal from the court's jurisdiction.

#### Cleveland Democrat Wins.

CHARLESTON, March 15.—Returns from the congressional election clearly indicate the election of J. F. Izlar, Cleveland Democrat, over S. W. Stokes, coalition Democrat.

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There are several kinds of Grip. The Grip carried by the travelling man, the Grip given by a secret society man, the Grip of friendship and the Grip which makes you feel miserable all over.

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We have a good No. 7 Range for $10, and warranted.
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And she was right, they are spring poems, new, handsome and full of the lightness and grace of spring. We are getting in such handsome Canes and perfect fitting Coats in the latest designs from the best New York houses and in our own make.

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As to prices, well, just compare ours with any store in Lowell or Boston and judge for yourselves. Never were such goods so cheap before.

We have made a big cut on every suit and wrapper in stock, to make room for new goods.

We are Headquarters for Suits.

We are very busy on big orders for Boston houses, but save a few for our retail trade, at wholesale prices. We will give you a handsome Serge Suit, lined throughout, with umbrella skirt, at $3.75. Making so many enabled us to work it at bottom figures. AND YOU GET THE BENEFIT.

A handsome, serviceable Flannel Skirt for $1.50. We have an order from a Boston house for 350 of these skirts and make an extra lot for ourselves. Our $4 Winter Suits, of which we sold so many, are nearly gone. We will close them out at $2.50, and remember when you buy these goods

Your Money all Comes Back to You,

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89 doz. Ladies' Navy Blue, Polka Dot and Striped Waists, ruffled fronts, plaited front and back, high sleeves, made in the best possible manner; regular selling price 49c.; our price for this sale 29c each. First come first served.

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57 doz. Ladies' Fancy Striped and Cherry with Polka Dots—Handsome Shirt Waists, only 35c. each.

49c. 49c. 49c.

45 doz. Ladies' Elegant Sateen Waists, in Blacks, Blues, and Blues with Polka Dots, nobby ruffled fronts with Bishop sleeves, cannot be bought in Lowell for less than 98c. each; our price while they last 49c. each.

25c. 25c.

65 doz. Ladies' Fancy Striped Plaited Shirt Waists, all sizes, 25c. each.

25c.

50 doz. Boys' Blouses and Waists, all new patterns, sizes 4 to 14 years, 25c. each, well worth 39c. each.

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### SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR THURSDAY, MARCH 15.

SUN RISES..... 5 50 | MOON SETS... 2 19 AM
SUN SETS..... 5 57 | FULL SEA ... 5 15 AM
LENGTH OF DAY..11 55 | " EBB ... 5 40 PM

Forecast for New England: Fair; northwest gales, diminishing.

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## LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Quinn have returned from Minneapolis, Minn.

Gov. Greenhalge was the guest of the Expressmen's league in Boston last night.

Ed. Flannigan of this city, the well known ball player has been signed by Fall River.

Freight business on the railroad is picking up noticeably which is one of the many signs that better times are near at hand.

Rev. F. O. Hall of this city assisted in the marriage of Mr. F. A. Young and Miss Issie S. Brooks, at Fitchburg, yesterday.

Comrade and Rep. W. H. I. Hayes was elected a member of the executive committee of a body of war veterans which dined in Boston yesterday.

At the next regular meeting of Court Merrimack, A. O. F. of A., delegates will be elected to the annual convention which will be held in Lawrence.

A meeting of the executive committee of the democratic city committee will be held this evening at which it is said a meeting of the whole organization will be called.

Have you seen the beautiful display of millinery, etc., at Courville & Tarte's store 131 East Merrimack street? Tomorrow and Saturday occurs the grand opening. Everybody should go and get an idea of the Easter styles.

**The First Street Grounds.**

A meeting of those interested in athletics at the Y. M. C. A. gym., will probably be held on Friday evening, to arrange plans for the coming season and to see what can be done to put the First street track into shape for use.

**What "Bill" Said.**

In the discussion on women's suffrage in the house yesterday Mr. Hayes of Lowell said the time has now come when it must be decided whether Massachusetts shall be governed as in the past or a complete revolution shall take place.

**Meeting of City Employes.**

The city employes will hold a public meeting at 12 Middle street next Monday evening at 8 o'clock to listen to addresses by Messrs. McPadden, Maguire and O'Brien, all of Boston. The meeting is to be under the auspices of Social Assembly, K. of L. Mr. McPadden is master workman of the state.

**Mr. Shaw's Valued Gifts.**

Mr. Ralph H. Shaw, son of the late B. F. Shaw, and a poet whose effusion are receiving much favorable comment, here and elsewhere, is the recipient of a pen, penholder and spectacle wiper, which were once used by the gentle Whittier at his home in Amesbury. A relative of Mr. Whittier gave the highly prized mementos to Mr. Shaw. May the articles, prosaic as they are, yet redolent with sweet memories serve as an inspiration to Mr. Shaw's pen in what is sweetest and noblest in verse.

**The Liberal Conference.**

At the First Universalist church last evening, the fourth in the series of special conferences of the liberal churches was held. Song service was led by J. Avison Baker. Rev. R. A. Greene read from the scripture, and also offered prayer. Rev. Grindall Reynolds was next introduced by Rev. F. O. Hall and delivered an interesting address. He chose for his text John xiv. 11, the topic for discussion being "True and false treasures."

Rev. Mr. Hall and Rev. Mr. Greene also spoke. The meeting this evening will be held at the Unitarian church.

**The Commission Ordinance.**

Here is the substance of the ordinance in Lawrence under which it is proposed to establish a license commission: Section one constitutes a board of three license commissioners, selected from the two principal parties. Section two provides for their appointment by the mayor, immediately after the passage of the ordinance, subject to confirmation by the aldermen, and to hold office until the first day of May, 1895, or until their successors are appointed and confirmed. Section three orders that the board shall organize and elect a chairman from among their number, and the city clerk is to act as clerk of the commission. Section four stipulates that the board shall report its doings to the aldermen, and fixes the salary of the members at $300 yearly.

## CLOSE MILL MEN.

**What a Legislative Committee May Find on Investigation.**

There is considerable fun being poked at the members of the committee appointed to canvass the corporations represented in the Manufacturers' association and learn what the members will agree to, says the Fall River Herald. It is a pretty well established fact that some men who have stock in local mills will agree to nothing, much less agree to a long talk with competitors in the business. Some satisfaction can be found in political committees that are sent out to canvass opinions as it oftentimes happens that a bottle of wine and an occasional duck is thrown in.

But among manufacturers there are some men so close that they won't even buy a collar for a dog, much less a cigar for inquiring friends. If there was a prospect of a pleasant chat in all cases, the committeemen would have an easier time ahead of them, but it's known that most treasurers who are to be interviewed haven't even a clay pipe for entertainment.

## SOCIAL AFFAIRS.

The Dazzler Whist club entertained their gentlemen friends, at Miss McAlvin's home, Tuesday evening. Florence H. Addison and Mrs. John F. Cosgrove won first prize; Mrs. Henry J. McAvin and Miss Carrie J. Leighton second prize; and the consolation went to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gray.

Mrs. G. C. Prince entertained a number of her friends at a whist party last evening. Honors were won by Hon. George A. Marden and Mrs. C. E. Adams.

The Highland Twenty Whist club met with Mr. and Buckland of Westford street, Tuesday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. C. O. Davis and Mrs. L. M. Turner, and the consolation by Mrs. F. L. Bachelder.

Mrs. W. E. Hall of Wilder street entertained the Young Married Ladies' Whist club Tuesday afternoon. The highest scores were made by Mrs. Charles E. Howe and Mrs. Julian Cameron of Westford.

There was a gathering of friends at the house of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Rollins in Centralville, Tuesday evening. Whist was played and the prizes were won by Mrs. I. E. Watson, Mr. George W. Patten and Mr. H. F. Barnes.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 53 MERK ST.

## BAY STATE LEGISLATURE.

### THE LIQUOR TRAFFIC RECEIVES MUCH ATTENTION.

**Woman Suffrage in Municipal Affairs Passed by the House—Other Matters of General Interest.**

BOSTON, March 15.—One of the most important measures that is occupying public attention is one for the establishment of a state commission on license for the purpose of taking the liquor question out of politics.

The committee having charge of this matter gave a public hearing and met to discuss and vote as to whether or not a favorable report should be presented to the legislature. The vote stood five to five, with Mr. Buck absent. It was decided to adjourn until all the member of the committee should be present. In the meantime the Massachusetts Progress club, an organization having branches in 20 cities and towns in the commonwealth, are circulating petitions favoring the commission, and it is expected that fully 150,000 names will be subscribed before the committee meets again.

Women were granted extraordinary privileges by the house. They have now only to capture the senate and then secure the governor's signature to be privileged to vote for mayor, aldermen, councilmen and school committee, and on the question of license at the next municipal elections in the cities of the commonwealth.

The senate judiciary committee reported ought not to pass on the bill requiring the state and cities of over 50,000 population to pay laborers $2 a day for nine hours' work. It was further stipulated that only citizens be employed upon state or municipal work.

Leave to withdraw was reported on the petition of the mayor of Waltham for legislation creating a board of five cemetery commissioners to have charge of the public cemeteries of that city.

An adverse report was made on the bill to increase the salaries of the Boston board of aldermen from $1500 to $1000 annually.

Ought not to pass was reported on the bill establishing the standing as a recognized political party of any party which has or shall for 10 consecutive years cast 1000 or more votes for its candidate for governor; also that any political party which shall increase as rapidly as to poll at least 5 per cent of the total vote for governor before the expiration of 10 years shall be recognized in the same manner.

Adverse reports were made to the house by committees on the following petitions and bills: Petition for legislation requiring conditional sales of personal property to be recorded and protecting the rights of vendee in such sales; petition for an extension of the duties of medical examiners; petition for repeal of existing laws in regard to proceedings before grand juries; petition of the Newburyport Veteran Artillery association to be exempt from jury duty; petition for legislation giving the supreme judicial court authority to determine the ownership of $200,000 worth of bonds in the hands of the state treasurer, deposited by the Cape Cod Ship Canal company and claimed by Quincy A. Shaw; petition that women may be appointed special commissioners; petition that justices and special justices may take acknowledgments of deeds and solemnize marriages; petition to prevent the exhibition of prizefights; bill prohibiting circulation of petitions relating to labor legislation in factories and workshops; bill to compel sleeping car companies to close the upper berth when not sold; bill providing that the tax on the property and franchise of street railway companies shall be received directly by the cities and towns where the railways are operated; bill imposing a tax on legacies and successions.

**Spring Meet at Boston.**

BOSTON, March 15.—At the quarterly meeting of the board of officers of the Massachusetts division of the League of American Wheelmen it was voted that the spring meet be held here May 30. Two thousand dollars was appropriated for the publication of a new roadbook and maps. Resolutions were adopted recommending that the League of American Wheelmen hereafter publish its own official organ.

**Operators the Victors.**

CHARLESTON, W. Va., March 15.—The striking miners will hold a meeting at Montgomery to declare the strike off, and they will return to work at the reduced prices. The Edgewater, Great Kanawha and Cannelton miners resumed operations yesterday.

**Treasury Figures.**

WASHINGTON, March 15. — The cash balance in the treasury at the close of business yesterday was $186,855,957, and the net gold reserve $107,347,416, a gain since Tuesday of $187,992.

**Arbitration Failed.**

LAWRENCE, Mass., March 15.—The state board of arbitration has failed to effect a compromise in the Arlington mills difficulty. Agent Redford says the mill will not pay any higher wages at present. The entire mill has shut down, leaving over 3500 employes idle.

**Charged With Stealing Tickets.**

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., March 15.—John Bloom, a ticket scalper, was bound over for stealing tickets belonging to the Consolidated road. Bloom was in league with Conductor Leahy, who is now serving out a sentence in jail here.

**Sadly Afflicted.**

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., March 15. — An epidemic of diphtheria has broken out in Portland, and three children of Thomas Hicks have died from the disease. Another child is sick and is not expected to recover.

**Guarding Against Smallpox.**

SOUTH NORWALK, Conn., March 15.—The boarding house of John Dennis, where Charles Peterson, the traveling smallpox patient stayed while in this city, has been quarantined by the board of health.

**No Quorum.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—A quorum of the house committee on agriculture failed to appear yesterday, and the consideration of the anti-option bill was therefore postponed.

**Session Will Be Long.**

OTTAWA, March 15. - Parliament opened today. The general impression is that the session will be long and tedious.

**Run Away From Competitors.**

CANNES, March 15.—The Prince of Wales' cutter Britannia scored a victory in the race for the Prix de Cannes. The Britannia finished nearly 40 minutes ahead of the Valkyrie, which was second.

**Fourteen Days Overdue.**

BROOKLYN, March 15.—The Wilson line steamship Apollo has not been seen or heard of since she left this port for Antwerp on Feb. 14. She is now 14 days overdue.

**Ten Yet to Be Recovered.**

WILKESBARRE, Pa., March 15. — The searchers in the Gaylord mine this morning unearthed the body of another victim. There are still at least 10 in the mine.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

A delicious smoke—Old Hundred cigar.

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Grand Canton Pawtucket, P. M., nominated officers at the meeting last night.

E. G. Parker, 23 E. Merrimack street, will name low prices on coal for a few days only. See ad.

Miss Jessie Lewis will give the entertainment on Saturday evening, at the women's branch of the Peoples club.

Mayor Rutter of Lawrence extinguished a fire with a broom, yesterday. It was in the awning in front of the Telegram office.

The greatest favor you can confer on friends is to give them your photo. The place to get photos taken is at Marion's, Barrister's hall.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Whitham, of the corner of Humphrey and Methuen streets, was visited by about sixty friends last evening. It was in the nature of a surprise. The visitors were hospitably entertained.

The subscription party for April 5th in Associate hall is now an assured success. The managing young ladies will be Miss Kittie Donovan, Miss Nellie Murphy, Miss Esther M. Owens, Miss Addie Crowley, Miss Anastatia Corbett, and Miss Kittie Lennon.

Mayor Murray, Aldermen Quigley, Bassett and Newhall, Clerk of Committee Lynch, City Clerk Finn and Superintendent of Street Jones of Woburn, were in this city yesterday, and after inspecting the new city hall and Memorial building, they were shown the work being done on the sewers. Woburn is contemplating putting in a sewer system, and it is desired to get all possible information before the work is commenced. A sewer commission will have charge of the work in Woburn.

**Governor Morris Explains.**

HARTFORD, March 15.—The proclamation of Governor Morris for the observance of Good Friday this year has caused much comment because of a sentence which has been inserted, which reads: "O Jesu Hominum Salvator, with thy gracious light illumine the minds of thy children, who, groping in darkness, are unable to see the truth when it is presented to them." Governor Morris' explanation of the new language in the proclamation is that the present ages are not observing the anniversary properly.

**A Peculiar Freak.**

PROVIDENCE, March 15.—The police are greatly mystified by what is probably the work of a crank. During the past week scores of heavy silver door plates have been unscrewed from fashionable residences and carried away. The police were amazed when 19 of the missing plates were found wrapped up in a newspaper and lying on the front steps of station 3 last evening. The plates were uninjured.

**The Peck Murder.**

HARTFORD, March 15.—The murder of Robert Peck of West Hartford is still a mystery. Of the nine arrests on suspicion all but seven have been released; the last two arrested in Thompsonville will be held for further examination.

**Probably Written by Anarchists.**

MONTREAL, March 15. — Mayor Villeneuve has received several threatening letters promising to blow up the city hall and his private residence with dynamite bombs. The police have the matter in hand.

**The Paterson Strike.**

PATERSON, N. J., March 15.—The striking silk workers are confident the employers will concede nearly all demands. The authorities in Paterson are of the same opinion and apprehend no more trouble.

**Workmen Narrowly Escaped.**

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., March 15.—The Dowd barrel factory and cooper shop was entirely consumed by fire yesterday. Many men barely escaped with their lives. A number were seriously injured. The loss was $25,000.

**Cramps Will Get $30,000.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The senate committee on naval affairs authorized a favorable report on the bill remitting $30,000 withheld from Cramp & Sons, builders of the cruiser Vesuvius.

**Father and Three Children Killed.**

DRESDEN, Ont., March 15.—The boiler in Yule's planing mill exploded and killed Adam Cornell, the engineer, and his three children, who chanced to be with him at the time.

**Western League Baseball.**

MILWAUKEE, March 15.—The Western league adopted the schedule presented by the committee. The season will open April 25 and will consist of 126 championship games.

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formerly of Fifth avenue, New York, successor to Peterson, tailor, 65 Central street, has received the latest novelties in foreign and domestic suitings, coatings, and trouserings, for spring wear.

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## DOINGS IN CONGRESS.

### BLAND BILL PRETTY CERTAIN OF PASSAGE TO-DAY.

**Debate Was Finished Yesterday and Statements of Republican Senators Taken Severely to Task.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Chairman Sayers of the appropriation committee is making wonderful progress with the sundry civil bill. Forty pages of the bill were disposed of yesterday, making in all 83 in two days, and only leaving 16 pages more, exclusive of two paragraphs, those relating to the coast and geodetic surveys and the Missouri river commission, which were passed over temporarily. No amendments of importance were adopted. The appropriation for the geological survey, which usually encounters bitter opposition, passed unchallenged.

The test vote which was to be taken on the seigniorage bill, the vote on Mr. Allison's motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill passed to the third reading, attracted a large attendance. The senate took up the consideration of the bill and Mr. Teller and Mr. George spoke in favor of its passage, the former criticising severely some statements made by Senator Sherman in his recent speech against the bill.

Before Mr. George had concluded his remarks the hour of 2 o'clock had arrived, and Mr. Harris insisted upon the vote being then taken on Mr. Allison's motion, with the result that it was defeated by 28 to 45. It is expected that the bill will pass by about the same vote at 2 o'clock today.

Mr. Manderson moved then to commit the bill to the finance committee, and this motion was also defeated, by a vote of 27 to 44.

The other portion of the agreement—that all further debate should be under the five-minute rule—was abrogated, and Mr. George concluded his speech in favor of the bill. He was followed by Mr. Carey, who opposed the bill.

### A GRAVE CRISIS.

**Parnellites Appeal to Friends For Consultation and Guidance.**

LONDON, March 15. — The following manifesto, signed by John E. Redmond, Timothy Harrington and Joseph E. Kennedy, has been issued:

"Fellow countrymen: The solemn words of warning which we recently addressed to you have been justified more speedily than we anticipated. The premier's first official declaration proves the correctness of our judgment in cautioning you to place no blind confidence in him or his cabinet.

"The position of our country is rendered still more perilous by the slavish silence of the majority of the Irish representatives, and their action in parliament today in first voting closure of our criticism of the government policy, and then giving their votes directly in support of the Irish administration and its policy of eviction, house burning, prosecutions and jury packing.

"No crisis so grave has arisen in the history of Ireland since the death of our late chief. We feel it to be our first duty to appeal to you for consultation and guidance. With this in view, we shall summon a national convention to be held in Dublin, on April 3, to organize without delay. We draw no narrow distinction which would exclude men who recognize the national danger and are willing to share in an endeavor to avert it."

**How Bay State Banks Stand.**

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Reports from national banks under the recent call have been received as follows: State of Massachusetts (exclusive of Boston), 213 banks; loans and discounts, $101,568,688; lawful money reserve in bank, $6,417,898, of which $2,957,494 was gold; individual deposits, $71,923,724; average reserve held, 29.86 per cent.

**Philadelphia's Big Fire.**

PHILADELPHIA, March 15.—The extensive warehouse of Haney & White, dealers in hardware supplies, sash and door blinds, in this city, was entirely destroyed by fire last night. The loss is estimated at about $100,000. The lumber yard of B. F. Taylor & Co. was damaged $5000. A stable was partially destroyed.

**New Jersey Republicans Agree.**

NEW YORK, March 15.—The counsel for the Republican senate at Trenton announced to the supreme court that they would agree to the propositions submitted by the court for the presentation of the case so that it could be properly considered, but they reserved the right to appeal from the court's jurisdiction.

**Cleveland Democrat Wins.**

CHARLESTON, March 15.—Returns from the congressional election clearly indicate the election of J. F. Izlar, Cleveland Democrat, over S. W. Stokes, coalition Democrat.

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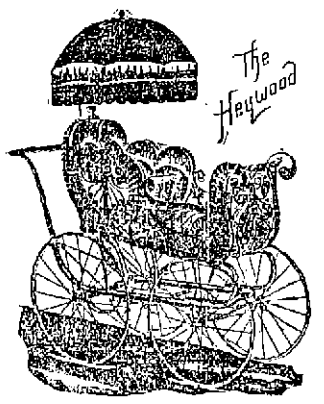


We have in stock the finest line of CARRIAGES in the market today. All new goods. Not one of last year's carriages in stock. If you need a carriage this season, it is for your interest to look over our stock and get our prices. When you purchase a Carriage from us you are sure to get the best Carriage in the market for the money. All our Carriages are standard make. Goods that we have sold for years and know that they are first-class. We guarantee perfect satisfaction to every purchaser.

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35c. 35c. 35c. 35c.

57 doz. Ladies' Fancy Striped and Cherry with Polka Dots—Handsome Shirt Waists, only 35c. each.

49c. 49c. 49c.

45 doz. Ladies' Elegant Sateen Waists, in Blacks, Blues, and Blues with Polka Dots, nobby ruffled fronts with Bishop sleeves, cannot be bought in Lowell for less than 98c. each; our price while they last 49c. each.

25c. 25c.

65 doz. Ladies' Fancy Striped Plaited Shirt Waists, all sizes, 25c. each.

25c.

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